THE WEATHER
The indications are that there will be fair weather tonight; Friday, partly cloudy to cloudy; light variable winds.

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FEARFUL DISASTER

Express Train Wrecked-- 17 Killed and 68 Injured

Catastrophe on Penna Railroad—Cars Burned and Frightful Scenes Enacted — Hospitals Crowded With the Wounded--Dead Mangled and Burned—Property Loss $300,000

PHILADELPHIA, MAY 11.—INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM HARRISBURG UP TO 11.30 A.M. AT THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD GENERAL OFFICERS IN THIS CITY BY CHARLES M. SHAEFFER, SUPERINTENDENT OF PASSENGER TRANSPORTATION IS THAT 17 PERSONS WERE KILLED AND FROM 63 TO 68 INJURED IN THIS MORNING'S WRECK. ELEVEN BODIES WERE RECOVERED FROM UNDER ONE SLEEPING CAR BUT THEY WERE SO BADLY CHARRED AS TO BE UNRECOGNIZABLE. THE TRAIN CONTAINED 162 PASSENGERS AND A TRAIN CREW OF 15. AMONG THE MISSING IS W. H. LEWIS OF PHILADELPHIA, A PULLMAN CONDUCTOR, WHO IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED.

ACCOUNT OF THE WRECK.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 11.—From 17 to 30 persons were killed and more than 100 others injured in a collision on the Pennsylvania railroad south of Harrisburg, a few minutes before 2 o'clock this morning, caused by the second section of the Cleveland and Cincinnati express, west bound, crashing into a wrecked freight train.

The dead who have been identified are:

MRS. ROBERT DAUGHERTY, Philadelphia.

HARRY K. THOMAS, Philadelphia, engineer of the passenger train.

JACOB SILVERMAN, Bridgeton, N. J., is also believed to have been killed.

There are at least two bodies under the wreck.

Among the injured were Mr. and Mrs. Tindell, the latter a daughter of U. S. Senator Knox, who were on their way to Pittsburg from New York. They were able to walk to Steelton, where Mr. Tindel telephoned to Governor Pennypacker. The governor sent his private secretary to bring them to the executive mansion where they were given medical attention and clothing.

The Harrisburg hospital is crowded with the most seriously injured. Others of the injured are at the hotels and will be able to resume their journey during the day. The railroad company is doing everything possible for the relief of the injured, many of whom escaped from the wreck in their night clothes and lost all their clothing and other belongings.

The passenger train of nine cars and locomotive was wrecked.

CAUSE OF WRECK.

The wreck was caused by a smaller wreck to the freight rain, which was east bound. Passing the plant of the Paxtang Electric company, near Cedar street, an air hose burst and several cars in the middle of the train buckled up and fell across the passenger tracks at the side.

Almost at the same moment the express train, with ten coaches, dashed along and plunged into the wrecked freight cars. The boiler of the passenger locomotive blew up and the concussion caused the immediate explosion of two cars of dynamite in the freight train.

The force of the collision crushed all of the passenger cars, which piled up in a huge mass with those of the freight. Instantly the two cars were masses of flames. With the crash the passengers, all of whom were asleep in their berths, were hurled in all directions. Many were tossed free of the wreckage, some down the railroad embankment, some into the Susquehanna river, which parallels the railroad in that locality. All who were not pinned in the debris or totally incapable, ran away from the perfect volcano, intermingled with small explosions. It was impossible at the time for those who escaped uninjured to reach the imprisoned passengers, whose cries rent the air for blocks.

SENATOR'S DAUGHTER INJURED.

Among the passengers were many of prominence. Mr. and Mrs. Tindell, the latter a daughter of Senator Knox, were among those reported injured at an early hour this morning.

Mrs. Albert J. Barr and two daughters family of the editor of the Pittsburg Post, were among those slightly injured and were taken to the Harrisburg hospital. Their condition is not critical. Mrs. Barr personally asked the newspaper men to make this statement.

Early this morning, persons who escaped from the wreck began flocking to the newspaper offices to ask that it be published that they escaped injury, so that their friends might be relieved of anxiety. Among these was Charles W. Stanglon, supreme chief of the Brotherhood of Car Inspectors, Car Builders and Railroad Mechanics of America. His home is in Baltimore.

Samuel Shubert of New York, manager of the Lyric Theatre jumped out of his berth and ran out of the train just in time to escape being burned to death. He was taken to the Commonwealth hotel.

FIRST BODIES RECOVERED.

At 4.30 o'clock this morning, the first two bodies of those who were pinned in the wreckage were recovered. They were so badly charred that they could not be recognized, but it is believed they were women.

While the fire was still raging fiercely, the burning bodies of the dead could be seen still lying in the berths. The entire passenger train of nine cars and the engine was destroyed. Nine freight cars were also destroyed and three others derailed and wrecked.

The passenger train of which not a valuable square foot was left, had consisted of one locomotive torn to pieces when the explosion occurred, six Pullman sleeping coaches, two baggage cars, one mail coach and one engine tender.

DYNAMITE EXPLODED.

The first explosion heard was that of the boiler of the passenger locomotive. This was followed by a most terrific noise when the dynamite car went up. The car was No. 71,323 of the Erie R. R. and had a cargo of five thousand pounds of dynamite.

Despite the harrowing occurrence, there were early on the scene undetected, many negroes and foreigners searching for loot.

The heat was so intense and the crowd of reputable people so great that it is believed they secured little of value.

THE INJURED

LIST OF THOSE AT THE HARRISBURG HOSPITAL

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 11.—Following is a revised list of the injured at Harrisburg hospital:

James R. Barnes, Uniontown, N. J.

Miss Greigg, whose sister is missing.

J. B. Mason, Schuylkill arsenal.

L. E. Burt, New Brunswick, N. J., burns and lacerations.

Mrs. J. A. Streckley, New York, cut on head.

Arden Post, Elizabeth, N. J., hands and feet burned.

S. P. Brown, St. Louis, cuts on body.

M. B. Sterrett, Chicago, hands and feet injured.

J. Berry, Bedford county, Pa., foot broken.

John Taylor, laceration of feet, hands and body cut.

W. B. Whitley, Wilmington, Del., head and arms cut.

John Hay, Vineburg, Pa., head and back bruised.

Hannah Lunstrum, New York, face burned.

Samuel Stern, Cleveland, O., head and leg cut.

J. C. Francesconi, New York, head lacerated, clothes burned off.

J. W. Brode, Memphis, Tenn., head and foot injured.

J. Ronan, New York, hand cut.

H. J. Schmidt, New York, cut and bruised about body.

George W. Miller, Pittsburg, head cut and bruised.

C. T. Perkins, Pittsburg, feet and hands burned.

William P. M. Irvin, Philadelphia, head cut.

Mrs. Albert J. Barr, wife of the editor of the Pittsburg Post, and daughters Constance and Adeline, slightly bruised.

L. Russell, Pittsburg, Pullman porter, possibly internally hurt.

R. J. Rose, Pullman porter, injured internally.

Matthew Henley, Philadelphia, Pullman porter, arm broken.

Robert Oliver, New York, Pullman porter, arm injured.

Mrs. H. C. Yard, Brooklyn, bruised.

Mrs. C. H. Snow, Brooklyn, eye injured.

Rosie Pollick, Pittsburg, face lacerated and bruised.

Dr. W. H. McCollough, Cleveland, back injured.

Joseph Garmon, Pittsburg, head and both hands burned.

James E. Brumbaugh, Marthsburg, Pa., head and hands cut.

Charles Johnson, Philadelphia, shoulder dislocated.

Joseph King, Cleveland, bruised on body.

Thomas Lucin, Altoona, head lacerated.

Samuel Perthuskl, New York, head and leg lacerated.

N. Henry, Philadelphia, slight bruises.

H. Rodgers, slight bruises of body.

R. Wolcott, Steelton, slightly injured.

H. Silverman, Chicago, leg and arm fractured.

$300,000 LOSS

PROPERTY, CASH AND JEWELRY WERE DESTROYED.

HARRISBURG, May 11.—It was impossible at 6.30 o'clock to get the names of the most seriously injured who are at the hospital.

Many of them are in such a critical state or covered with so many bandages that talking is out of the question.

At 8 o'clock it was estimated that the dead numbered between 25 and 30.

One hundred and twenty-five received treatment for injuries at the Harrisburg hospital, most of whom are confined in the institution. Ten of these may die. Only three have been positively identified, so completely were the bodies cremated. The known dead are:

H. K. THOMAS, engineer of the passenger locomotive, Philadelphia, head blown off when boiler exploded.

MRS. ROBERT DOUGHERTY, Philadelphia.

JACOB SILVERMAN, Bridgeton, N. J., burned to a crisp in his berth; identified by a masonic emblem on his coat.

At 7.30 o'clock this morning none of the tracks had been cleared, but the wreckage crews, three in number, the two original ones on the scene having been augmented by the Columbia crew, began throwing the debris over the bank of the Susquehanna river.

At this time the fire in the two last Pullman cars was extinguished. The contents of these where it is believed a number of bodies were buried were so completely burned that it was not possible to tell whether there were any bodies there or not. If there were they were reduced to ashes. It is unofficially estimated that the financial loss will amount to fully $300,000. This includes $15,000 for cash, jewelry and other personal effects of the passengers, that were destroyed.

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A LIGHT DOCKET

Before Judge Hadloy This Morning

The police court session was light, this morning.

There were five drunks, with one released and three fined.

A young man on the charge of drunkenness was sentenced to the Massachusetts Reformatory and then the sentence was suspended to give an opportunity to reform.

John Smith, alias Harry Hodge was in court for transgressing the laws of decency while intoxicated and he was fined $5.

George Marshall, found guilty of vagrancy was sent to the state farm. He was accompanied "South" by William L. Ferris. The latter is the man who stole a cow belonging to his father, last summer. The elder Ferris did not care to press a charge of larceny against his son and Ferris accordingly was sentenced only for drunkenness.

John Lawrencesson, James Gallagher, John Mehermolt and Walter Merrill, four of the party of boys who stole tools from a store in Charles street a few evenings ago were in for larceny, this making eight in all who have been arrested in the case and they were continued until tomorrow's juvenile session.

CITY AUDITOR

MANY APPLICANTS FOR THE POSITION.

The list of candidates for the position of city auditor, made vacant by the death of David Chase, up to date, is as follows:

Clinton Tuttle, now employed as clerk in the auditors' office; ex-Alderman Charles D. Page, Z. Whin Sturtevant, Virgil G. Barnard, ex-Alderman William Brown, Frank Hall, who was private secretary to the late Mayor Bennett; A. M. Huntoon, shoe dealer; Charles Hartwell, John G. Marshall, ex-paymaster of the Boott mills; Henry McAlvin, now in the water works department; Edward J. Richardson, bookkeeper, and John W. Stott, accountant.

SPOTTED FEVER

There have been three deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis in Lowell within the last 24 hours. The victims were Rose Geary, aged 8 years, 15 Bassett street; Maryetta Campbell, aged 17, 3 Morans' yard, off Lakeview avenue, and Mary Daly, aged 5 years, who died this morning at the home of her parents, 6 Auburn street.

One new case of the disease was reported at the office of the board of health last evening. The victim is Harlandos Layanis of 18 Fenwick street. He was sent to the hospital.

Out of a total of 65 cases 35 have proved fatal.

No new small-pox cases were reported today.

FOREST FIRE

IN DRACUT, PUT OUT BY LOCAL CHEMICAL.

Chief Hosmer today sent the chemical from Palmer street to extinguish a fire in the woods near the old Emery barn on land belonging to Mrs. Hand. A considerable area of wood was burned over and houses were threatened when the chemical arrived and extinguished the flames.

A forest fire that has been sending up volumes of smoke has been burning for the last two days up the river west of the Mammoth road, probably in Tyngsboro.

Miss Ella Chase and Mr. William Chase of Pleasant street, are visiting in Hosanac Falls, N. Y.

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400 LIVES LOST

Town of Synder Okla. Swept by Tornado

GUTHRIE, OKLA. MAY 11—REPORTS RECEIVED HERE INDICATE THAT BETWEEN 300 AND 400 LIVES HAVE BEEN LOST IN THE PARTIAL DESTRUCTION OF THE TOWN OF SNYDER, OKLA., BY A TORNADO.

Relief trains have been sent to the scene from a number of neighboring towns. Details of the disaster cannot be learned until some of these trains return, all telegraphic and telephonic communication with the stricken town having been interrupted.

It is reported that bodies are scattered all over the streets and surrounding country. The storm struck the town from the southwest, travelling north until about 100 yards from the Oklahoma city and western railway track. Then it took a northeasterly course through the business portion of the town. North of the tracks not a building was left standing. The first relief train sent from Hobart has arrived on the scene.

Snyder is a town of about 2300 inhabitants in Kiowa county, Oklahoma, in the Kiowa and Comanche Indian county opened to white settlement in 1901. The town was laid out largely by the St. Louis and San Francisco railway at the junction of two of its lines and the company erected important buildings there. Snyder is the division point for the Quanah division of the road. The town was named for Bryan Snyder, passenger, traffic manager of the system.

The first news of the storm was received about midnight. Soon thereafter, before any details had been received, telegraph and telephone wires went down.

Immediately relief trains were ordered out from all available points, starting from Hobart, Chickasha, I. T., Guthrie, Oklahoma City and other towns. Every train carried doctors, nurses and any person capable of rendering aid.

The first relief train, sent from Hobart, 32 miles north of Snyder, reached the stricken town just before daylight. Everyone on board began at once the work of relief.

On every hand they found the wreckage and streets almost obliterated by piles of demolished houses. In all directions evidence of the terrible havoc of the storm was apparent. The dead and dying lay about the streets, in yards and mixed up with the wreckage while those who had escaped ran about in excited attempts to bring order out of the terrible chaos, and to give what aid they might.

The storm was not confined to Snyder. On the way to the boom town, dead and injured were passed in plain sight of the relief trains, but these were passed by in the effort of the rescuers to reach Snyder, where there was greater need of their services.

The first man to reach Snyder and return to a telegraph point was the station agent at Mountain Park, a neighboring town. He had walked into Snyder, reaching there at daylight, and after taking a hasty view of the situation and without gathering any exact details of the storm's effects, returned to Mountain Park.

This man reported the town partially destroyed and asserted that the list of dead would reach somewhere between 300 and 400. The injured, he said, were to be seen everywhere, and their number undoubtedly will reach into the hundreds.

While the tornado seems to have been widespread, rumors that other towns in southwestern Oklahoma had been destroyed, were declared by telephone exchanges to be incorrect. However, there was no question that much damage to property and loss to life had occurred in the outlying districts.

The same tornado struck Quinlan, in Woodward county, on the Santa Fe railway, destroying several houses and at that point at least three persons, Mrs. Cox and her two sons, are known to have been killed.

The tornado struck Snyder from the southwest, traveling north until within about 100 yards from the tracks of the Oklahoma City & Western railway. There it took a northeasterly course to the east portion of the town. North of the track, not a building was left standing. Coming as it did while most of the inhabitants of Snyder were asleep, but few had any warning of danger.

NO TRACE FOUND

In the Search for Mrs. George Puffer

None Saw Her After She Left Her Home in Dracut Tuesday Night—Friends Do Not Believe She Would Commit Suicide

Although a thorough search has been made for some clue as to the disapearance of Mrs. George Puffer of Pleasant street, Dracut, none has been found who can throw the least light upon the mysterious affair.

As reported exclusively in last night's sun, Mrs. Puffer disappeared from her home between 8.25 and 9.30 o'clock, Tuesday evening and from the time her husband left her at the house at 8.25 o'clock, apparently in good spirits, though ill from an ailment that had necessitated an operation and which had weighed heavily on her mind, until the present, not a single trace of her has been disclosed.

There are three theories advanced as to the cause of her continued absence from home, suicide, an inclination to go out and shift for herself as a manicurist and a desire to consult with Dr. Bishop, a Boston specialist in regard to her illness.

The police incline to the theory of suicide because of the fact that Mrs. Puffer had been brooding more or less over her illness and had frequently spoken to her husband as being a burden to him in her present condition although he did all in his power to disabuse her mind of that idea. Furthermore upon his return home, Tuesday night, finding that she had gone, a search of the house revealed a letter on the table in her room written in lead pencil to the effect tat she was too much of a burden to him, that she was going away, but did not know where, and requested him not to look for her, for he would not be able to find her. The letter was quite lengthy but its substance according to Mr. Puffer was as above.

But the husband, parents and close friends of the missing woman do not believe that she did away with herself and when interviewed by a reporter of The Sun this morning, Miss Edna Peabody, a neighbor and close friend of Mrs. Puffer said: "I don't believe that Mrs. Puffer committed suicide. She was not that kind of a girl. She was too high principled to do such a thing, even under the most adverse influences. It had long been her ambition to open a manicuring parlor of her own either here or in Boston, as she understod that business thoroughly and she often said that some day she would do so. It would not surprise me if imbued with the idea that she was a burden to her husband she has gone to Boston or elsewhere to look for work or to open a place of her own."

The conductors on the Lakeview avenue line, all of whom know Mrs. Puffer, from having seen her on their cars often are positive that she did not take a car to Lowell on Tuesday night and for this reason many believe that she must still be in the neighborhood of her home. But by following along Pleasant street to its junction with Bridge street, at the Yellow Meeting House, she might have gone into Lowell on a Bridge street car, or might have gone through to Boston as the Boston car line runs to Dracut Centre.

The fact that she put on her hat and coat and took her purse with her would indicate that she was going some distance away and would not indicate that she was bent on suicide.

Mrs. Puffer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sibble of Lawrence who formerly resided at Collinsville and the Navy Yard.

After searching among their friends in that city and notifying the Lawrence police the couple went to Dracut this morning to assist in the search for the missing young woman.

Both are greatly distressed over their daughter's disappearance and believe that she wandered away while temporarily deranged mentally as the result of her trouble. Speaking with a reporter of The Sun, Mrs. Sibble said: "I cannot understand the cause of my poor Jeannie's disapearance. I saw her a week ago last Tuesday and at that time there was nothing to indicate any mental trouble or despondency.

"It surprises me greatly that she kept her trouble and worriment from me, and she was always my companion and told me all her hopes and cares. She was not a girl to go around much and had few girl friends. She always preferred to be with me and up to the time of her marriage, last June, she was with me most of the time. She had once been treated by Dr. Bishop, a Boston specialist, whom she met at home when we lived in Sherbrooke, and as she had talked of consulting him it may be that she made a sudden determination to go to Boston to see him. We have telegraphed to Boston and to Sherbrooke to friends to be on the watch for her. I cannot believe that she has committed suicide.

"I am going to find her if such a thing is possible," said the heartbroken father, and immediately upon his arrival in the Navy Yard he started out to search by the banks of Beaver brook and in the woods toward Collinsville.

Mr. Puffer, Miss Peabody and other friends have searched the vicinity of the Navy Yard and Collinsville but have failed to find even any person who saw a woman answering her description on Tuesday night or yesterday. Beaver brook will be dragged and if the missing woman does not put in an appearance by Saturday, the brook in all probability will be drawn off, to aid the searchers.

A searching party will be organized today to scour the woods in the vicinity as the young woman might have become temporarily deranged and have wandered into the woods.

The last one to see Mrs. Puffer was her husband who left his home at 8.25 o'clock Tuesday night, leaving his wife, he claims in good spirits though not in good health. He returned to his home at 9.30 and found her gone.

Allowing 10 or 15 minutes for the writing of the note and other preparations for her departure she must have left the house shortly before 9 o'clock. A woman who lives across the street from the Puffers states that she stood in her doorway from 9 o'clock until 9.30 and within that time did not see her leave the house so that it would appear that she left shortly before 9 o'clock. Her husband went to Lawrence yesterday in search of her but she did not go there.

Mrs. Puffer before her marriage was employed at Rhodes' hair store in Merrimack street as a manicurist and is highly spoken of by both Mr. Rhodes and the employes of the estblishment. She was married last June to Mr. George Puffer, a popular second hand in the Merrimack mills and son of Mr. J. Frank Puffer of this city.

Mrs. Puffer is 21 years of age, of dark complexion, five feet four inches in height, of medium build and of very comely appearance. When last seen she wore a blue dress, light colored short coat and a blue hat.

Mr. George Puffer said to the reporter:

"It is my idea that she wandered away from her home and probably is now at some house not far away. I am positive that if she saw the reports in the paper of her disappearance she would return immediately.

"She was a person who would brood much over little things. She was not in the best of health and she might have had an idea that she was a burden, but such was not the case. She was not obliged to work, and she had a comfortable home.

"When I left her shortly before 8.30 o'clock Tuesday night she seemed to be in a happy frame of mind. She did not complain of being ill, in fact she was apparently happy."

Mr. Puffer, Sr., father-in-law of the missing woman, stated that he did not think that the young woman had committed suicide. He was in the house when she left, although he did not hear her depart.

LIP CUT

THREE STITCHES REQUIRED TO CLOSE THE WOUND.

Ernest Velletir, residing at 27 Bowers street, was injured while at work in the Lowell Machine Shop. He was struck with a spindle and received an incised wound of the upper lip. At the Emergency hospital three stitches were taken in the wound.

FIRED THREE SHOTS

Boston Policeman Captured an Alleged Burglar

BOSTON, MAY 10.—THREE SHOTS FROM A POLICEMAN'S REVOLVER STOPPED GEORGE T. CONNOLLY, 25 YEARS OF AGE, TODAY WHILE TRYING TO ESCAPE, IT IS ALLEGED, AFTER HE HAD BEEN CARRYING ON A SYSTEMATIC AND WHOLESALE LARCENY OF GOODS FROM A ROXBURY GROCERY STORE. CONNOLLY, IT IS CLAIMED, HAD BROKEN INTO THE PLACE AND WAS LOADING TWO HUGE HAND TRUCKS WITH A VARIETY OF GOODS WHEN PATROLMAN JOHN RYAN INTERCEPTED HIM. NONE OF THE BULLETS HIT CONNOLLY. THE POLICE SAY THAT SEVERAL CASES OF EGGS FOUND AT THE MAN'S HOME HAD BEEN REMOVED BY HIM BEFORE POLICEMAN RYAN'S DISCOVERY.

THREE BOYS LOST

They Probably Met Death by Drowning

PORTLAND, ME., MAY 10.—AN OVERTURNED GUNNING FLOAT FOUND TODAY GAVE EVIDENCE OF THE PROBABLE DEATH BY DROWNING OF THREE FALMOUTH FORESIDE BOYS WHO WENT OUT IN THE FLOAT YESTERDAY AND WERE CAUGHT IN THE HEAVY BLOW. THEY WERE LAST SEEN AN HOUR AFTER STARTING OUT AND THEIR PARENTS BELIEVE THEY HAVE BEEN LOST. A NUMBER OF BOATS WERE SENT OUT ON THE BAY SEARCHING FOR THE BODIES. THE BOYS WERE BERNARD STUBBS, 15, SON OF J. W. STUBBS; PAUL SAWYER, 16, AND ROBERT SAWYER, 21, SONS OF FRED SAWYER.

GANG OF THIEVES

The New Haven Road Lost $50,000

NEW HAVEN, May 10—By arrests made within the last three days, one of them in this city on Sunday, the New Haven railroad officials believe they have broken up a gang of thieving employes who have cost the road over $50,000. Wholesale stealing has been going on at Maybrook, N. Y., ten miles back of Newburgh, where the New Haven road has a large freight transfer station. Much merchandise brought to that place by other railroads to be transferred to the Consolidated has been mysteriously lost in the last year.

Chief Inspector James F. Valiely, Jr., of the railroad police was put on the job and on Sunday morning arrested John J. Foley, a locomotive fireman here. Foley was taken to Maybrook today, charged with grand larceny. Charles Winfield, employed on the transfer platform, was arrested at Maybrook. The ringleader of the gang, a freight shifter, has escaped to New York.

Valuable bales of raw silk, cases of champagne and all kinds of freight have been stolen. A search by detectives around Campbell Hall and Maybrook brought to light the fact that railroad men had been selling expensive shoes to second hand dealers for 50 cents a pair. In boarding houses occupied by some of the suspected persons many stolen articles were found. One man had his bedtick lined with choice tobacco. Champagne was stored in barns. When arrested Foley was wearing a pair of shoes which he admitted were a part of the loot. He has been living, while in this city, at the Railroad Y. M. C. A. Inspector Valiely says $50,000 is a conservative estimate of the freight losses which the New Haven road has had to pay.

A SUICIDE

MRS. STRONG SHOT AND KILLED HERSELF.

ENGLEWOOD, N. J., May 10—Mrs. Benjamin Strong, Jr., wife of the secretary of the Bankers Trust company of New York City shot and killed herself today during a fit of what doctors call temporary insanity. She was a daughter of John Leboutillier of New York. Mrs. Strong had been suffering from nervous exhaustion since the birth of a child six months ago.

SAMUELSON DEAD.

LONDON, May 10.—Sir Bernhardt Samuelson, the well known authority on railroad rates, who for years has been chairman of the association of British chambers of commerce, died here today. He was born in 1820.

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ASSASSIN'S NOTE

Says Czarism Will be Extinguished

PARIS, May 10.—M. Lubanivitch editor of the Russian revolutionary organ here, has received a copy of a letter from Ivan Kaleieff, who assassinated Grand Duke Sergius at Moscow, making a final address to his comrades. Kaleieff says:

"My life has been a contest against the odious tyranny of czarism and death crowns that work. To die with such convictions is to summon others to the combat. What ever may be the number of victims required to extinguish czarism I have the firm conviction that our generation will achieve the work for all time."

TUESDAY CLUB

WAS ENTERTAINED BY MRS. C. F. TUTTLE.

Mrs. C. F. Tuttle of 28 June street entertained the Tuesday social circle yesterday afternoon. Supper was served between six and eight o'clock, about 45 members enjoying the repast. During the evening phonograph selections were given under the direction of Mr. Charles Enstrome, while Miss Ada Jasper and George Tuttle gave vocal selections. Miss Ethel Tuttle presided at the organ.

FOREST FIRE

TIMBER OWNED BY DIAMOND MATCH COMPANY BURNED.

CONCORD, N. H., May 10.—The local fire department was called upon at noon today for aid in fighting a forest fire at Mast-yard, a station on the Claremont branch of the Boston & Maine, Concord division, about seven miles from here. The fire is devastating timber land owned by the Diamond Match company and is in such a situation that no water is available for fighting it. A large detail of men was sent from this city.

NEW MEMBERS

MATHEWS ADD MORE TO THEIR RANKS.

Vice-Pres. McNally presided at the meeting of the Mathews last evening and much routine business was considered. Four proposition and ten admissions for membership were acted upon. A committee was chosen to bring in candidates for the vacancy existing on the board of trustees.

AS SPIES

FRENCHMAN AND HIS STEPSON WERE ARRESTED.

TOKIO, May 10.—M. A. E. Bougouin, a prominent Frenchman, and his stepson, C. F. Strange, an Englishman, have been arrested here as spies.

PADEREWSKI SAILS.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Ignace Paderewski, the pianist, sailed on the steamship Oceanic today enroute to his home in Switzerland to rest and recover from an attack of nervous prostration which interrupted his recent tour in this country.

Mr. Paderewski said that while he is better, he sought complete rest.

"I cannot say now just when I will return to America," he added.

Other passengers on the Oceanic included Mrs. Patrick Campbell, the actress, and Vice Admiral Lord Charles Beresford.

SHOT HIS ENEMY

Man Killed on Board a Train

HOUSTON, Tex., May 10.—W. T. Eldredge, former vice-president and general manager of the Cane Belt railway, killed his second man on board a passenger train approaching this city yesterday.

Eldredge who had been riding in a Pullman, walked into the day car. There he met Edward Calhoun, a man who had once shot him. Both instantly went for their guns. Eldredge drew his weapon first and fired four shots. Three of them hit Calhoun and a fourth struck A. W. Turner, a passenger, in the arm. Calhoun sank to the floor, dying.

The car was filled with passengers and a stampede to get out ensued in which several women fainted. Eldredge was placed under arrest at Walls.

Two years ago, in the same coach, at nearly the same hour, while Eldredge was manager of the Cane Belt, he met Capt. William Dunovant, a director of the road, and a similar tragedy ensued. Both men drew revolvers, but Eldredge killed Dunovant.

That killing was the result of a bitter enmity among Cane Belt stockholders and directors. Twice later Eldredge was shot down from ambush, but each time he recovered. On the plea of self-defence he was acquitted of the charge of murdering Dunovant.

Eldredge then declared he would leave the state to prevent further trouble, but he failed to do so. Calhoun, whom he killed yesterday, was a close friend of Capt. Dunovant and a leader of the anti-Eldredge faction.

Eldredge, in a statement, said that Calhoun had once shot him and he had long expected trouble when they again met. He was not expecting to meet him on the train, but was at all times prepared. He said that Calhoun fired the first shot, but it missed. He then returned the fire, sending three bullets into Calhoun's breast.

FOUR WOUNDS

KAPP WAS SHOT BY A FELLOW WORKER.

PATERSON, N. J., May 10—Gustave Kapp, 35 years old, a diminutive silk weaver employed at Pelgram & Meyer's silk mill, was shot four times yesterday by a fellow worker named Henry Meisen. Kapp and Meisen left their boardinghouse, 15 North Fourth street, yesterday to go to work. In the street they quarreled about something and fought. Meisen got the worst of it. Breaking away from Kapp he returned to his boardinghouse and got a revolver. Returning he found Kapp and fired at him three times. One of the shots entered Kopp's right shoulder, the second furrowed his breast and the third injured his hand. He went to the police station and was sent to the hospital where his injuries were dressed. He left the hospital and returned to the police station, and made a complaint against Meisen. He refused to tell the cause of the quarrel.

He then left the station to go home. As he was going along Hamburgh avenue, Meisen jumped out of a doorway and fired again at him. This time the shot took effect in Kapp's breast.

Acting as a human target didn't worry Kapp much. He simply turned around and walked back to the police station and reported the second shooting. He was sent to the hospital again and the doctors there were instructed not to release him until Meisen was found. None of the wounds is dangerous.

HILLS DEAD

WAS CHIEF CLERK OF THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, May 10—A telegram was received by Secretary Shaw today announcing the death of Carizzozo, N. M., of Wallace H. Hills, chief clerk of the treasury department. According to the advices, Mr. Hills was found dead in bed this morning at the hotel where he was stopping.

Mr. Hills left Washington May 2 on official business for a period of three weeks and was apparently in good health. He was 55 years of age and had been an employe of the treasury department for 41 years.

PROBATE COURT.

McIntire and Lawton, judges.

Wills presented for probate during the week ending May 9: Mary McKenna, Lowell; Lillian Dalton, Somerville; Jas. Mahoney, Newton; Louisa McMurtrie, Weston; Mary Cram, Waltham; Walter Eames, Somerville; J. J. Cole, Somerville; B. F. Sargent, Lowell; Charlotte Clapp, Cambridge; Mary Spaulding, Melrose; W. A. Cutter, Wakefield; H. A. Halliday, Cambridge; M. M. Marshall, Cambridge; H. S. Wiley, Wakefield.

Administrations—W. E. Woodward, Everett; Josephine Woodward, Everett; Bridget Mallahan, Cambridge; Thos. Martin, Cambridge; Maxwell Gilges, Melrose; Mary McVey, Cambridge; Matilda Driscoll, Somerville; L. S. Jones, Sudbury; Edith Norton, Everett; Marie Linehan, Cambridge; Ellen Casey, Waltham; Michael Monaghan, Lowell; Timothy Coughlin, Wayland; Adelaide Hunter, Natick; F. A. Thompson, Malden; Lucina Brown, Belmont; Rachel Buckman, Woburn; Julinah Kendall, Framingham; I. N. Harding, Cambridge; C. H. Stowe, Everett; H. C. Hastings, Framingham; Susan Schleicher, Framingham; Elizabeth Monroe, Framingham.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

BOSTON, May 10.—Artemus S. Pennock, retired, of Braintree, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the U. S. district court today, placing his liabilities at $176,980, and his assets at $184,399. Of the liabilities $4,000 represents secured claims while the remainder is unsecured. The petition sets forth that of the assets $172,000 is represented by stock ownership in three street railway companies.

F. F. Dowlin, a prominent lawyer and real estate operator of North Adams, also filed a voluntary petition. Liabilities were placed at $113,487 and assets at $34,072. There are about 150 creditors. Of the total liabilities $31,140 is secured.

WM. WHITNEY DEAD.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 10—Wm. M. Whitney, head of the dry goods firm of W. M. Whitney & company, one of the oldest and best known merchants in this part of the state, died here today. Mr. Whitney was born in Boston 78 years ago, a grandson of Brig. Gen. Joshua Whitney, one of the "Boston Tea Party" of revolutionary fame.

HE WAS KILLED

Because He Called the Police

NEW YORK, May 10—Frank Maurer, a German laborer, of 251 First avenue, shot and killed Abraham Goldstein of 11 Monroe street last night in a saloon at Twelfth street and First avenue. The shooting grew out of the refusal of Maurer to pay for two beers which he had ordered for Thomas Devine and a man known as "Buttons" who entered the saloon while Maurer was drinking. Goldstein served the drinks, and when Maurer refused to pay he threatened to call a policeman. At that, Maurer, it is alleged, drew a revolver, compelling Goldstein and his partner, Oscar Foster, to keep their heads below the bar.

Goldstein crept along the bar and made a dash into a back room. There he procured a club and ran out the Twelfth street entrance of the place. He ran around to First avenue and rapped for a policeman. As one approached he turned back into the saloon, where he was met at the door by Maurer, who fired one shot, which went through Goldstein's heart, killing him instantly.

Maurer ran through the back room to Twelfth street, where he turned east with a crowd at his heels. Policemen Wasserman, Durr and Moran of the Fifth street station, who had heard Goldstein's rapping, were not far behind, and as they closed in on the man he ran into a tenement house at 193 Avenue A, where he was captured.

The revolver, which Maurer had thrown away during his flight, was found in a heap of sand that the prisoner pointed out.

Maurer was taken to the Fifth street station, where he was identified by Goldstein's partner and locked up. He admitted the shooting, but said that he fired in self-defense when Goldstein went at him with the club.

A FORTUNE

MISS FITZ STRUCK IT RICH IN THE KLONDIKE.

BOSTON, May 10.—Miss Frances Fitz, who left here five years ago and went to Alaska with a party sent out by a New York syndicate, has returned to her home in Medford with a fortune estimated at over $500,000. She has been United States Deputy Recorder, owner of a newspaper, keeper of an insane woman, land staker, land owner, mine owner, and is now at the head of a big mining company. In an interview she said:

"The hard things that I experienced you can't understand. My place is at Council City, near Nome, 2000 miles up in the Klondike. For a year I lived in a tent.

"My good fortune was due to being named deputy recorder, which gave me a knowledge of every claim on Ophir creek, one of the richest in Alaska. I suppose I took several hundred claims in all, like everybody else, only to let them go again. Then I discovered by surveys at my own expense that part of a very valuable property was in reality unclaimed. That is how I got my mine.

"Conditions are all changed in Alaska now. Hand work is too expensive to be done with a profit, and the future belongs to the capitalist with his machinery."

COST $500

VICE-PRESIDENT FAIRBANKS PICKS HIS INKSTAND.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Vice-President and Mrs. Fairbanks yesterday selected the inkstand which will adorn the vice-president's desk, and which according to established custom will become the property of Mr. Fairbanks when he retires from office. Of late years the vice-presidential inkstands have increased in elaborateness, and incidentally in price, as the designers have vied with each other in producing stands that will make beautiful and lasting souvenirs.

A dozen jewelers submitted designs for Mr. Fairbank's instand, and he and Mrs. Fairbanks had a choice collection from which to make a selection when they appeared today at the office of the secretary of the senate, where the beautiful wares were set forth for inspection. A creation of silver, gold and cut glass made by Tiffany caught their fancy, and it will be on the vice-president's desk when he raps the senate to order next October. The cover is a clever imitation of the dome of the capitol. The limit of cost of the souvenir is $500.

A PROTEST

AGAINST THE CHINESE EXCLUSION ACT.

SHANGHAI, May 10—A large and influential meeting of Chinese merchants held here today protested vigorously against the proposed new Chinese exclusion treaty recently discussed in the United States. Telegrams were sent to the Chinese foreign office, to Yuan-Shi-Kai, viceroy of Chili province and to Choufu, viceroy of Nankin and it was unanimously decided to boycott American goods until the terms of the proposed treaty are modified. The merchant guilds throughout China are urged to co-operate in the movement.

GRAND LODGE

MASSACHUSETTS KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF HONOR IN SESSION.

BOSTON, May 10—The 27th annual session of the grand lodge of Massachusetts Knights and Ladies of Honor, was opened today at Knights of Honor hall, with Grand Protector Mrs. Hattie E. Silsby of Roxbury in the chair. Supreme Protector L. B. Blockard of Indianapolis, Ind., who was present, stated that the organization made a net gain of 6187 members during the year ending April 1, the total membership at that time being 50,550.

There is a surplus fund of $557,000, which is being added to monthly.

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From Late Edition Yesterday

THE COUNTY TAX

More Than $2000 Less Than Last Year

The assessors have received from the tax commission in Boston a notice to the effect that the county tax will be less this year than it was in 1901, and of course this will be acceptable news to all good citizens, for in proportion their tax will be reduced. Last year the county tax was $78,478.87, this year the amount is less by over $2000. The exact figure is $76,264.33, leaving a balance in favor of this year of $2,214.54.

RECEIVER NAMED

For the Haight and Freese Co.

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—Judge McPherson in the United States circuit court today appointed J. Hector McNeal of this city receiver for the brokerage establishment of the Haight & Freese company.

Mr. McNeal's bond was placed at $10,000. Mr. McNeal's appointment is the result of proceedings in New York and Boston yesterday. The receiver took possession of the company's offices at 417 Walnut street. Mr. McNeal is also receiver for the Philadelphia Consolidated stock exchange and the Provident Investment company.

BASKET BALL

PROF. UMPLEBY GETS PICTURE OF TEXTILE SCHOOL TEAM.

The manager and members of the Lowell Textile School Basketball team have presented the manager, Professor Fenwick Umpleby of the Lowell Textile Journal, a large framed picture of the basketball team, thus thanking him for the encouragement and help which he has given school athletics and also for the substantial aid given the team during the season just closed.

In reply to the presentation, Professor Umpleby said: "The present you have been pleased to make me for the interest I have taken in school athletics and as manager of the school paper, The Lowell Textile Journal, and for the amount handed over to your manager, I greatly appreciate. The Textile Journal is kept alive by the student body and the influential body of advertisers. It has always been my desire to make the Journal the leading school paper in its line, and I have always been pleased to know that my efforts have been rewarded by your encouragement, appreciation and patronage, and so long as I am manager of the Journal it will be my earnest desire to encourage and patronize athletics in every possible way.

"I thank you for your beautiful present which I shall place in a prominent position to remind me of your successful season and good will toward me."

FUNERALS

ROURKE—The funeral of Frederick Rourke, child of John C. and Mary Rourke, took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the residence of his parents, 4 Puffer avenue, and was largely attended by friends of the family. There were some beautiful floral pieces, among the most prominent being a pillow inscribed "Feddie," from the parents; basket of roses from Mrs. Gilmartin and Miss Rourke; spray of carnations from Mrs. O. J. Coleman; spray from Aunt Kittie; spray from Miss Kittie Hannon; spray from Mrs. Thomas Rourke. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Undertakers J. J. O'Connell & Co. had charge of the arrangements.

PERSONALS

Mrs. E. D. Holden was, yesterday afternoon, elected president of the Lowell General Hospital Aid association, to succeed Mrs. Fletcher, who resigned. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Larkin T. Trull.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans C. Dege observed the 15th anniversary of their marriage last evening at their home, 10 Parkview avenue. During the evening the D. L. Page company furnished refreshments, and about 75 friends of the happy couple called and extended their congratulatoins.

N. H. DENTAL SOCIETY.

MANCHESTER, N. H., May 10—There was a large attendance today upon the opening session of the convention of the New Hampshire Dental Society. Addresses were delivered by Dr. N. Green of Springfield, Mass.; Dr. C. E. Blaisdell of Portsmouth; Dr. S. Blake, of Palmer, Mass.; Dr. F. H. Brown of Lebanon and Dr. J. H. Warthen of Concord.

The afternoon was given up to demonstrations.

RAILWAY CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The International Railway Congress today discussed "Improved rail crossings," "Automatic couplers" and "Organization of a cheap service on branch lines of main railways."

This afternoon the delegates will inspect the Washington navy yard and gun factory.

PAPER MAKERS MEET.

HOLYOKE, Mass., May 10.—Today's session of the International Brotherhood of Paper Makers, in annual meeting here was chiefly taken up with a discussion of a resolution presented by a committee calling for greater attention to the defense fund. No action was taken and the discussion will be continued tomorrow.

This afternoon the delegates enjoyed an outing to Mount Tom.

WHISTLER'S WORKS EXHIBITED.

PARIS, May 10.—An exhibition of Whistler's works under the direction of the department of fine arts was opened today. The American and British ambassadors were present. King Edward's Whistler's and other leading American and British collections were shown.

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A SPOTTER

SCORED BY JUDGE PIERCE IN SPRINGFIELD.

SPRINGFIELD, May 11.—Spotter methods were scored in the superior court yesterday in the trial of the case of Joseph Chennette, an Indian Orchard druggist, charged with illegal sale of liquor to L. F. Carey, a reserve member of the police department. The defendant's story was that Carey represented to him that he ha da physician's certificate and that when the liquor was delivered and the change made Carey laughed at Chennette's request for the certificate, and left the store.

Under cross-examination Carey admitted that he had made a misrepresentation to Chennette. "What did you lie to him for?" asked C. T. Callahan, Chennette's counsel.

"Sometimes it is better to lie than to tell the truth," said Carey. Dist. Atty. Noxon deplored the attack upon the credibility of the testimony of the witness and of the commonwealth. "I'm sick and tired," he said, "of hearing defences based solely on attacks on police officers. Carey told an untruth. He would have been a fool if he had gone into this store with his brass buttons and tried to secure evidence, and you, gentlemen of the jury, would have laughed at him."

In giving the case to the jury, Judge Pierce stated that if the defendant's story was true, not only did the defendant commit no crime, but the officer stole the liquor. It was for the jury to determine whether the officer obtained the liquor by a trick, or whether the testimony offered by the defendant was perjury.

Judge Pierce did not concede that police officers, even in the protection of lives and property, have any moral right to commit a wrong, and he did not admit that it is the duty of an officer to obtain evidence by fraud and deception.

LADIES' AID

HELD SUPPER AND ENTERTAINMENT.

The Ladies' Aid of the Chelmsford Street Free Baptist church conducted a pleasant affair last evening in the vestries of the church. A strawberry supper, followed by an entertainment was the program, which was much enjoyed by the large attendance.

The supper was served by the following members of the Ladies' Aid: Vice President Mrs. Perry Mooney, Mrs. Draper, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Dodge, Mrs. Ethel Storm.

A candy table in charge of Miss Margaret Thorne and Mrs. Goddard dispensed home made candy, and did a good business during the evening.

Mrs. Arthur Mooney presided at a flower table, which was liberally patronized. The ice cream was served by Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Webb and Mrs. Roberts.

Miss Clara Blood opened the entertainment with a piano solo, followed by reading by Paul Perkins; song, Warren Dowling; doll drill by six little girls; tableau; reading, Bessie Sidebottom.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Claude F. Garland and Miss Elizabeth E. Jewett, both of this city, were united in marriage last night at 8.30 o'clock by Rev. George F. Kenngott, at his home, 296 Liberty street. After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Garland will reside at 201 Wilder street.

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NOT A CANDIDATE

Roosevelt Will Not Run for President Again

OMAHA, Neb., May 10.—The Bee quotes Pres. Roosevelt as making the statement that he will not be a candidate for re-election. The Bee says:

"You are authorized to state that I will not again be a candidate for the office of president of the United States. There are no strings on this statement. I mean it. I made my speech at Denver for the purpose of convincing the people of my earnestness in regard to the matter of renomination. I will not be satisfied with any compromise that does not bring out of the people that conditions that now exist in regard to transportation affairs in the country. No compromise by my friends in congress will be accepted."

"This is Pres. Roosevelt's reply to a representative of the Bee on his special train as it journeyed across Nebraska. Published statements to the effect that the president would be forced to accept a renomination by the people who would be aroused to that pitch by the failure of congress to enact remedial legislation was shown him. He expressed himself most emphatically that he was not to be swayed from his determination by any advances that might be made him no matter in what disguise they came."

THE GAS BILL

Was Passed to Be Engrossed

BOSTON, May 10.—The bill authorizing the amalgamation of the gas companies of Boston into the Boston Consolidated Gas companies was passed to be engrossed today in the Massachusetts house. This was done after certain amendments suggested by the committee on bills and Chairman Cole of the public lighting committee had been adopted. One of these amendments prohibits the capitalization of the $1,000,000 indebtedness existing between the consolidated companies.

WOMAN'S STORY

SAYS SON COMPLAINED OF ILL TREATMENT.

WATERBURY, Vt., May 10.—The legislative committee which is investigating conditions at various state institutions today renewed its examination of witnesses here with regard to the conduct of the state insane hospital in Waterbury. Mrs. C. H. Stevens of St. Albans, testified that her son Harry, 20 years of age, had been committed to the hospital as a private patient some time ago and that he complained frequently of ill-treatment at the hands of the attendants. He alleged that he was often choked and thrown on the floor.

M. H. Alexander, constable of the town of Georgia, testified that he had committed two patients to the Waterbury institution during the past two years. One of these, Michael O'Connolly, had been bed-ridden for a year before he went to the hospital but upon his arrival there he was made to sit in a chair. He died about three weeks later.

Witness could not say whether this treatment hastened the death.

Thomas Kelley, of Richmond, formerly a nurse at the hospital, was the next witness. He said that while he was at the institution, he believed no more violence than was necessary was used in restraining the patients. He declared the food always was good.

SERIOUS CHARGE

CAPTAIN BONSER ACCUSED OF TRYING TO CAUSE DISASTER.

VICTORIA, B. C., May 10.—Charges have been forwarded to Ottawa by Capt. Johnston of the River steamer Mount Royal, through the merchant service guild of Victoria, alleging that Capt. Bonser, a rival skipper of the Hazelton, deliberately rammed his vessel on the Skeina river and also at a past date performed a similar act on the Ramona in the Fraser river. Further charges have been made that Capt. Bonser endeavored to induce one of his crew to remove aids to navigation in order to precipitate disaster to a rival vessel.

LAWYER HELD

FOR DELIVERING ADDRESS ON CLIENT'S TRIAL.

MOSCOW, May 10.—The lawyer of Ivan Kaleleff, the condemned assassin of Grand Duke Sergius, was arrested here today for delivering an address on his client's recent trial before the assembly of advocates.

NO INJUNCTION

PETITION OF EQUITABLE POLICY HOLDER WAS DENIED.

NEW YORK, May 10—Justice McLean, in the state supreme court today denied the application of Herbert G. Tull, of Philadelphia, a policy holder in the Equitable Life Assurance society, for an injunction, restraining that society and the New York state supt. of insurance from proceeding further with respect to the proposed amended charter of the Equitable which was sent to the superintendent of insurance for his approval. The amended charter provides for the mutualization of the society.

WANT MORE STOCK.

BOSTON, May 10.—The Fall River Electric Light company has petitioned the gas commissioners for authority to issue $250,000 additional stock for the erection of a new station on the water front.

FRAZER KILLED

He Fell a Distance of Fifty Feet

NEWPORT, R. I., May 10.—Three men fell fifty feet to the ground today with a staging on the new residence being constructed here for Mrs. Emilie Bruguierel and one Joseph Frazer, a mason, was instantly killed. James Mathers, representative of a New Jersey terra cotta company, had his arm broken, while George Taylor, a mason, escaped with a shaking up and slight bruises.

ACCUSED MAN

WAS A MEMBER OF THE SECRET POLICE.

HELSINGFORS, Finland, May 10.—During the trial today of Karl Leonard Hohenthal for the assassination of Procurator General Seisalon Soininen, Feb. 6 last, the fact was elicited that the prisoner up to the day before the crime was a member of the Russian secret police, having joined it in order to obtain knowledge of the plans of the police.

ENTERS SUIT

STEAMER WAS ATTACHED FOR $3000.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass, May 10.—Steamer Peninsular of the Insular Navigation company, which arrived Monday from Lisbon with 700 passengers, was attached today in action of tort to recover $3000, Manuel T. D'Oliveirra of Fall River, a passenger of two years ago on the same steamer, alleging that the company detained him in a building in this city which was unsuitable for habitation, and in consequence of which he contracted an illness. The steamer was allowed to sail after sureties were furnished.

BIG PIER

SECOND ONE FOR THE CEMETERY GATE.

The massive granite pier for the left entrance to the Lowell cemetery at Knapp avenue was hauled through the streets today and deposited at its destination, the pier for the right side of the gate having been carried over last Thursday and is now in position.

The pier weighs in the vicinity of 15 tons and is 3x6 feet and 11 feet long and was turned out at the work of Gumb Bros. in Gorham street.

After the pier was loaded on the wagon 10 horses were attached.

The five pair of horses were then started down Gorham street, the time of starting being 5.30 o'clock. The wagon passed through Gorham street to Chambers to Newhall to Lawrence to Rogers to Nesmith to Knapp avenue. The wagon was fitted out with an improvised brake on the rear wheels, consisting of a heavy piece of timber tied with ropes, which would stop the wagon from going too fast on the down grades.

Immediately after arriving at the entrance to the gate the work of removing the stone was begun. The time of arrival was 11 o'clock, and two and a half hours were consumed in the trip. It is expected that it will take a couple of days to place the pier in position.

BRIDGE IS SAFE.

SAYBROOK JUNCTION, Conn., May 10.—After being in the hands of repair crews for 36 hours, the shore line division railroad bridge across the Connecticut river at Lyme was again pronounced safe today. The first train to cross the bridge since Monday afternoon was sent over safely and regular traffic was then resumed.

AMERICAN COLLEGE GRADUATES.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 10.—Graduates of the North American college at Rome held their twenty-first annual meeting in this city today, about 100 of the 300 members being present. A business meeting at which the president of the association, Rev. Dr. Wm. Maher of South Norwalk, presided, was first held, after which there was a banquet.

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COUNT CASSINI

Has Been Transferred to Madrid

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador in this country, has been transferred to Madrid. He will be succeeded here by Baron Rosen, until recently Russian minister to Tokio. Count Cassini was offered the ambassadorship to Madrid two months ago and accepted it.

POLICY KING

STEVE O'BRIEN MAY BE SENT TO JAIL.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The trial of Stephen O'Brien, the policy king, on indictments charging him with maintaining a gambling house and dealing in policy at 133 High street, was continued before Judge Crane in the county court, Brooklyn, yesterday. O'Brien who had been at liberty on $5000 bail, seemed somewhat depressed at the volume of corroborative evidence which District Attorney Clarke was weaving around him, and before court adjourned Mr. Clarke, fearing that O'Brien would take any chance to evade punishment, asked that he be committed to Raymond street jail until the conclusion of the trial. This Judge Crane acceded to, although O'Brien's counsel strenuously objected to such a proceeding.

Yesterday Thomas E. Clark, a negro, testified that he had been employed by O'Brien at $6 a week to drum up trade among the negroes. He said he had been repeatedly arrested and that O'Brien usually went on his bond. The bail bonds were put in evidence by District Attorney Clarke. The witness said that O'Brien incorporated the Elm club and the papers were framed and hung on the walls of the High street house and tickets of membership were issued. Any person who desired to play policy, got a membership card with his name on it.

Clarke then told of the policy sheets which arrived twice a day. These gave the numbers of the drawings, and, so as to make it appear that they were not policy slips, they contained the date and stock quotations of the International Stock company's sales for the day. They were never addressed to O'Brien, but to a fictitious name, but O'Brien always received them.

William H. Lane, Frederick T. Harris and others testified to O'Brien's connection with the Elm club. Several witnesses testified to having played policy in O'Brien's place.

GYPSY MOTH

READING MAN SUPERINTENDS WORK FOR ITS SUPPRESSION.

BOSTON, May 10.—Archie H. Kirkland of Reading was appointed superintendent of the work of suppressing the gypsy and brown-tail moths in Massachusetts, by Governor Douglas today under the authority of the new gypsy moth bill recently passed by the legislature.

COTTON MEN

OPENED THEIR ANNUAL CONVENTION IN KNOXVILLE.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., May 10—Assembled in this city for a two days' session, the ninth annual convention of the American cotton manufacturers opened today. Pres. R. R. Reinhardt of Lincolnton, N. C. presided. Addresses of welcome were delivered by Governor John I. Cox and others. Pres. Reinhardt predicted a great export trade which has already begun to augment.

To the wide fluctuation in the price of cotton, in America in less than a year from 16½ to 6½ he attributed the unsatisfactory demand for cotton goods. He congratulated the cotton mill men upon the absence of labor troubles.

DEATHS

FLOOD—Miss Anna Flood, aged 72 years, an old and highly respected resident of this city, died this morning at Salem, Mass. The body will be brought to this city by Undertaker Jas. W. McKenna and time of funeral will be announced later.

SCALP WOUND.

Frank O'Brien, residing at 54 Andrew street, received a severe scalp wound this morning, caused by falling from the curb stone on Lawrence street. His injuries were treated at the Emergency hospital.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.

Only two gentlemen inquired for marriage licenses today. They were as follows: Joseph Parker, 23; Lila Wojeck, 18. Claude F. Garland, 26; Elizabeth Jewett, 25.

BRANDEGEE ELECTED.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 10.—Frank B. Brandegee was formally declared to be chosen as the junior senator to the United States senate from the state of Connecticut, in joint convention of the general assembly in the house chamber today.

To go through life rejoicing,
"Get Rosy" every morn.
An Ap-i-le-zo breakfast makes you
Glad that you were born.

From Yesterday's Late Edition

BLAZE IN MILL

Fire in Proscott Card Room Today

A lively blaze, though fortunately of small consequence, occurred between 8 and 9 o'clock this morning in the card room of the Prescott mills.

The blaze started in a pile of cotton waste, presumably from a match in the waste and burned through the pile quite briskly.

It was discovered before it had reached any alarming extent and was extinguished by the mill force without the necessity of ringing in an alarm of fire.

The blaze was confined to the cotton waste and did not touch the machinery, work in the room not being interrupted.

Agent Southworth stated this noon that the loss would be too small to justify making a claim upon the insurance companies.

15 CANDIDATES

ALL LOOKING FOR CITY AUDITOR'S JOB.

Politicians from far and near were up to city hall today, and most, if not all of them, had their eye on the city auditor's office, for they are candidates for the position left vacant by the death of the late David Chase. All of the candidates have not announced themselves as yet, but already 15 have been heard from. Among the ones most prominently mentioned are Clinton P. Tuttle, at present employed as one of the clerks in the auditor's office; John Stott, Wm Sturtevant, Joe Richardson, private secretary to Counsellor Walter Walson; ex-Alderman Charles Paige, ex-Purchasing Agent Virgil Barnard, and many others.

NEEDLE BROKE

MRS. ELLEN KING WAS PAINFULLY INJURED.

Mrs. Ellen King residing at 203 Lawrence street, while engaged in sewing this afternoon at her home had a needle break off and a portion of it entered her little finger. The finger was treated and the needle removed at the Emergency hospital.

CONNORS' LAND

TO BE LEASED TO THE CITY FOR A CREMATORY.

The lease of the Connors Construction company's land, on Plain street, to the city, for the purpose of erecting and operating a crematory, has been presented to his honor for his approval and signature. Mayor Casey was out of the city today, and will not take up the matter until tomorrow morning.

FIRE IN BARN

IT WAS STARTED BY SOME CHILDREN.

An alarm from box 121 shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to a slight blaze in an unoccupied barn in upper Dutton street. The fire was caused by children. The damage was slight.

STREET BOOKS

TURNED INTO THE OFFICE OF ASSESSORS.

The assistant assessors are very busy just at this period of the year, and already some of the street books have been turned in to the office at city hall. The following books have been received: Precinct one of ward three, precinct one of ward two, and precinct two of ward five. Precinct one of ward four is not as yet completed, or at least it has not been reported at the office of the assessors.

DIPHTHERIA

ONE CASE WAS REPORTED TODAY.

The city is quite free from contagious diseases with the exception of the spotted fever cases, and the case of smallpox, now quarantined at the contagious hospital. This afternoon there was one new case of diphtheria reported at the office of the board of health. A close watch is being kept on the Salem street premises, and the vicinity where the last case of smallpox was discovered. No new developments are expected for at least ten days as it will take that long for the disease to fully develop.

BIG CONTRACT

FOR 100,000 FEET OF BRIDGE LUMBER.

Purchasing Agent Donnelly had a long conference with Mayor Casey and Superintendent of Streets Morse this afternoon. After the conference Mr. Donnelly said that the matter under discussion was letting out of the contract for the bridge lumber.

This is quite a contract for there is a large amount of lumber to be furnished. The bids closed yesterday and the contract will be given out tomorrow morning. The contract calls for 100,000 feet of lumber.

DISAPPOINTED

ELWIN MILLER HOME FROM PORTO RICO.

Mr. Elwin Miller of Centralville has returned home from Porto Rico after two years' experience at San Juan. He says Porto Rico was a big disappointment to him. The natives have a deep rooted feeling against Americans and will not work for them or trade with them.

SCHWAB SAILS.

LONDON, May 10.—Charles M. Schwab sailed for New York today from Liverpool on the steamship Baltic. Prior to his departure he said that with the exception of the Russian negotiations his trip had no significance.

WAS INDISCREET

A Juror Talked With Plaintiff in Case

THE PARTIES ACTED INNOCENTLY

The Cases Were Taken From the Jury

BOSTON, May 11.—By indiscreetly talking to a party to a suit, a juror in the first session of the superior court yesterday caused the trial of three actions for damages for personal injuries against the Old Colony railway company, involving many thousand dollars, to come to an abrupt ending, after two days had been employed in the presentation of evidence.

Only a few minutes more were necessary to bring the trial to a close when a casual remark in a conversation innocently entered into, resulted in the taking of the suits from the jury and postponing the trial indefinitely.

The cases were being tried together and they will come up later for another trial, the two days spent having availed naught except to enhance the costs of the litigation.

The court excused the juror for the term, but in view of its having been made apparent that he acted innocently and nothing improper had been intended, his honor did not inflict any punishment upon him.

No one felt the situation more keenly than the juror, who is a Grand Army veteran. In a spirit of good nature he spoke to Mrs. Mary Cottier, one of the plaintiffs, when he saw her in the corridor just before the court reconvened at 2 o'clock, after the noon recess.

Besides Mrs. Cottier, her husband, William L., and minor child, Marian, are plaintiffs.

BOTH ACTED INNOCENTLY.

About five minutes before 2 Mrs. Cottier was standing in the corridor waiting for the court to come in, when the juror, whose name is withheld, since he acted with entire innocence, sauntered along.

"How do you do, Mrs. Cottier?" asked the juror, approaching the woman.

"How do you do?" replied Mrs. Cottier.

"I suppose you are glad the trial is all over?" inquired the member of the panel.

"Well, it is not over yet," the plaintiff responded.

"Well, it will be in about 20 minutes," suggested the other.

"I wish it was over, as I ought to be home in bed," remarked Mrs. Cottier.

The juror passed along into the court-room, taking his seat on the panel.

A representative of the office of H. L. Hurlburt happened to be near by, and seeing the juror talking to the plaintiff, he hastened into the court-room to inform counsel for the defendant, Damon L. Hall.

After he acquainted Mr. Hall with what he had seen, the latter waited until Joseph A. Dennison, counsel for the plaintiffs, arrived when he told him of the incident. Mr. Dennison suggested that they call it to the attention of Judge Holmes, who was presiding at the trial.

Mr. Hall remarked that he had intended doing so, with the result that both counsel stepped into the lobby and informed the court of the matter. Mr. Dennison felt that his client had acted innocently as well as the juror and suggested that the court call her in and talk to her. Judge Holmes had a private conversation with the woman and satisfied himself that he did not know the man was on the panel and intended nothing improper, having explained the incident by saying that the man asked her questions and she answered him.

THE Y. W. C. A.

SECRETARY BENNETT ISSUES MONTHLY REPORT.

The past month with its glorious weather and springing forth of flowers with its Easter tide, has been one of cheer and blessing.

We thank the kind friends who remembered us with flowers at Easter, making our rooms attractive. We would also thank the members of the association who have responded to the call to secure at least one new member. Now that our dedication is postponed, we hope during this month to increase our membership still more.

In the home, 20 regular roomers and six transients have been accommodated.

Attendance at prayer average eight. In the lunch rooms 1831 meals have been served. Receipts $220.49.

Through the employment bureau, 23 places have been offered to the 40 girls who have applied, seven places filled; receipts $6.

Most of the women coming in are looking for day work, and a number have been sent out. No charges are required of these. The missionary committee's report, $109.15.

The social committee has arranged during the month, weekly entertainments. Two talks have been given. A talk on Egypt by Mr. Harvey B. Greene, assisted by Mr. A. G. Booth; a talk on Porto Rico by Rev. William Minchin. An evening of reading was given by the Misses McKnight. A musicale under the auspices of Mrs. Eugene Russell, and one evening of games.

Under the religious committee, the regular meetings and classes have been held. Sundays at 4 o'clock, the services have been led by Rev. D. S. Herrick of India, Miss Bessie Woodward, Mrs. Martha Colburn, Dr. Anderson and Mrs. L. E. Avery. Mrs. Caunter, Miss Steeves and Miss Rutherford and a chorus from the First Congregational church have assisted in song; 1030 has been the attendance of the entire religious work.

The secretary supplies the pulpit of the Highland M. E. church the second Sunday in the month, presenting the work of the association in the morning service.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANCES L. BENNETT,
Secretary.

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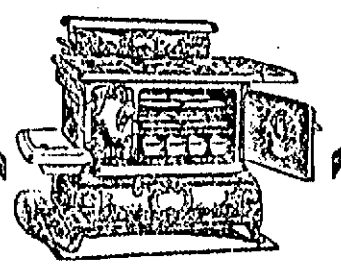
stops the cough and heals lungs



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GETS $11,000

TOM LAWSON TURNS TABLES ON MEN WHO SUED HIM.

BOSTON, May 11.—The suit for $225,000 brought by Paul Fuller et al, of New York against Thomas W. Lawson was settled yesterday by the parties with the result that the Boston man turned the tables on the other litigants and came out ahead from a pecuniary point of view. The agreement was filed in the supreme court.

Not only did Lawson escape paying anything on account of the suit, but he received a substantial amount in return, said to be about $11,000, on his agreeing to release any claim he had against the plaintiffs.

ALMOST OUT

HUGHEY McGOVERN HUNG ON AND SAVED HIMSELF.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.—By clinching and hanging on for dear life in the last round of a bout with Tommy Murphy of New York at the National A. C. last night, Hughey McGovern of Brooklyn managed to save himself from being knocked out.

It was the second meeting between the youngsters in the ring at this club, and this time Murphy made his victory a most decisive one. At every point of the game Murphy proved to be Hughey's master.

The setto was one of the fastest ever seen in this city. Both drew blood in the second round, and McGovern bled freely from the mouth, nose and eye in every round after the first.

Several times it looked as if McGovern were on the point of being knocked out, but his wonderful recuperative powers and his bulldog grit caused him to at once rush for Tommy, and one desperate mixup after another followed. In the last round McGovern was so weak and groggy that he could scarcely stand up.

Just when it appeared that the Brooklynite must go down and out, Hughey got a death grip on Murphy. Referee McGuigan tried desperately to break Hughey's hold, but could not do so for 15 seconds. This gave him a chance to recuperate, and he managed to last out the round, although he could scarcely hold up his hands.

Terry McGovern was at the ringside and he received a great ovation from the crowd, among whom were 500 New Yorkers who came over on special train.

During the second round Terry became so excited at the punishment his brother was receiving that a policeman had to restrain him from jumping into the ring.

BLUES BEATEN

IN CONTEST AT HADLEY STREET FREE BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Red and Blue contest at the Hadley Street Free Baptist church came to a close Sunday. The Reds defeated the Blues by a margin of 49. At the beginning of the contest the kind of a supper was not specified, but the Reds made a statement that nothing but a strawberry supper would suit them.

The Ladies' Aid society met this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock to make arrangements for the rummage sale to be held in the near future.

Mrs. H. T. Gerald is confined to her home, 11 Stewart street, with a severe attack of illness.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The Rathbone Sisters, Dorcas Temple, celebrated their 12th anniversary last night in Pythian hall, by giving a very pleasant entertainment, after which ice cream and cake were served, and a very pleasant time enjoyed.

Those participating in the entertainment were as follows: Piano solos, Miss Gertrude Merrill and Miss Jannette Johnson; banjo solos, Miss Viola Merrill; fancy dances and songs, Miss Baby Chaloux; sailors' hornpipe, Masters George Mollahan, Erslin Burke and Raphael Gerow.

B. F. Butler Corps 75 held its regular meeting last night. All officers were present. One member was initiated. The corps received an invitation to go to Lynn May 25. Miss Howard read a piece for the good of the order; so also did Mrs. Bean, Miss Chute, Miss Baker and Mrs. McDonald.

A delegation from Lowell Lodge, No. 87, B. P. O. Elks will attend the institution of a lodge of Elks at Malden this evening, at K. of P. hall, 515 Salem street, Maplewood district.

Resolution lodge, No. 3, I. O. G. T., of Graniteville, gave the grand chief templar a rousing reception on Tuesday night at Methodist hall, the occasion being the school of instruction held by that official. Five candidates were initiated. Addresses were made by Grand Chief Templar Albert Sutcliffe, Past District Templar Frank A. McLean of Mt. Zion lodge of this city and State Lecturer P. S. McKillop.

The officers installed were: Chief templar, W. K. Putney; vice templar, Miss Harriet C. Sargent; secretary, Miss Beatrice M. Parker; chaplain, W. O. Hawkes; financial secretary, Miss Emily E. Prinn; treasurer, Thomas Longbottom; marshal, Richard Dugdale; past chief templar, Miss Edith Normington.

Mrs. A. E. Kenyon of Chelmsford street, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, has gone to North Scituate, R. I., to regain her strength.

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FLOWER QUEEN

Delightful Operetta at Highland Club

At the Highland club hall, last evening, the operetta, "The New Flower Queen, or the Coronation of the Rose" was presented by local talent with some outside assistance before a rather small audience, under the direction of Miss D. S. Munroe of Boston. The operetta deserved a much larger attendance as it was excellently presented. The out of town talent consisted of Mr. C. Pol Plancon and Miss Jeannette O. Holmberg of Boston who assumed the leading characters. Among the other soloists, Mrs. Nettie Roberts, as "Dahlia," Miss Nettie Studley as "Crocus," and Miss Julia Salmon as "Dandelion," were conspicuous for excellent work, while the other parts were uniformly well sung.

In part second, two pretty dances were introduced, "El Toreador," by Hazel Chamberlain, and "Skirt Dance" by Esther Mulgrove, pupils of Miss Josephine M. Ockington.

The cast of the operetta was as follows:

Recluse............Mr. C. Pol Planchon
Rose............Jeannette O. Holmberg
Forget-me-not ....Annabel Savage
Crocus ....Nettie Studley
Dahlia ....Mrs. Nettie Roberts
Heliotrope ....Julia Burke
Mignonette ....Annie Ranger
Japonica ....Rena Landers
Sunflower ....May Julianus
Lily ....Helen Spencer
Violet ....Gladys West
Poppies—Helen Barrett, Elnora Clifford; Annie Holman, Lois Talbert, Nellie Fairweather, Alice Ingham.
Hollyhock ....Jessie Richardson
Dandelion ....Miss Julia Salmon
Heatherbells—Ruth Hill, Alma Gilman, Mabel Rogers, Marie Richardson, Margory Douglas, Hazel Chicken.
Holly ....Ruth Earle
Violet ....Lema Talbert
Buttercup ....Jennie Hartwell
Daisy ....Louise Rogers
Red Carnation..........Rachel Douglas

Music was by the Euterpe Ladies' orchestra.

Preceding the operetta, the dramatic sketch, "Drifted Apart," was excellently presented by Mr. M. J. Mahoney and Mrs. Elinore F. Haskell.

The entertainment was given for the benefit of the Massachusetts Association for Promoting the Interests of the Adult Blind.

FUNERAL HELD

OVER REMAINS OF REV. FR. PAQUETTE, O. M. I.

The funeral of Rev. Fr. Menesippe Paquette, O. M. I., whose body was sent to this city Tuesday from Central Falls, R. I., took place yesterday from the novitiate at Tewksbury and there were a large number of Lowell clergymen present.

Rev. Fr. Smith, O. M. I., superior of the novitiate, officiated at the solemn funeral mass, with Rev. Fr. Campeau, O. M. I., as deacon, and Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I., as sub-deacon. There was appropriate singing by the priests and brothers of the novitiate.

Deceased's father and mother, also his sister and several other relatives, all of Central Falls, were present at the services.

Burial was in the novitiate cemetery, and Rev. Fr. Smith officiated at the grave. Undertaker Napoleon Bilodeau had charge of the arrangements.

TWO ACTIONS

GROWING OUPT OF REV. DR. COURT'S WILL.

Two actions at law growing out of a $500 legacy left by the will of Mrs. Margaret Court, widow of Rev. Dr. Court, to William Gilchrist, her brother, of Kilmarnock, Scotland, have been finally decided by Judge Bond in the superior court. One of these actions was brought by Mrs. Jane Morton of Kilmarnock, a sister of Mrs. Court, against Mr. Gilchrist, on a judgment obtained by her against him in the sheriff's court for Ayrshire, for upwards of $1300; and to secure the payment of this judgment debt, John S. Patton, Esq., Mrs. Morton's attorney, trusteed the legacy left Mr. Gilchrist, in the hands of Charles Cowley, Esq., and John D. Hubbard, executors of the will. It was claimed in behalf of Mr. Gilchrist that he had made an assignment of his legacy to his wife, and she claimed that she in turn had assigned it to John and Jane Stewart, but these assignments were held to be void by the law of Scotland, and the court has rendered final judgment for Mrs. Morton. The other case was a suit against the executoris by Mr. and Mrs. Gilchrist and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart for the legacy; but in consequence of the decision in the former case, the court gave judgment in favor of the executors.

FATHER AND SON

LOWELL MEN ESCAPE FROM NASHUA CITY FARM.

Tuesday's Nashua Telegraph had the following: "John Clark and John Clark, jr., father and son, appeared in police court, April 26, and got 30 days each for being drunk. They went to the city farm and tok supper that night and later took a sneak. Mnday night they were re-arrested and this morning got 30 days additional to the original sentence. They both came from Lowell.

NEW AUTOS

SOME NOVEL MAKES COME TO LOWELL.

New automobiles continue to come to this city and the number of followers of the sport is daily increasing. Fred W. Pilling has received a handsome Pierce Great Arrow touring car, one similar to that owned by George S. Motley.

Willis Farrington is in receipt of a Fiat machine, it being an Italian make and somewhat different from the machines seen in this city, owing to the size of the wheels and tires.

The local autoists are making long daily trips and many of the devotees of the sport have covered over 2000 miles so far this season.

Mrs. C. L. Whitcomb, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Edgell of 24 Cheney place, returned to her home in Bethlehem, N. H., yesterday.

HOUSE ON FIRE

Minister Summoned From Convention

A fire supposed to be of incendiary origin was started in the Baptist church parsonage in South Chelmsford yesterday afternoon and but for the efficient work of a quickly mustered bucket brigade the parsonage would have been wiped out.

The pastor, Rev. Mr. Williams, and his wife, attended the Baptist convention in North Tewksbury and in the afternoon Mr. Williams received a message apprising him of the fact that his house was on fire. By the time he arrived in South Chelmsford, however, the bucket brigade had succeeded in putting out the fire. The rear part of the parsonage was badly damaged. The villagers believe that the fire was of incendiary origin.

ON THE ALLEYS

HITCH IN MATCH BETWEEN LOWELL AND PORTLAND.

Mr. Mathis received a telegram last evening from the manager of the Lowell bowling team, a member of the New England championship league, stating that he cannot come to Portland tonight as one of his men is ill. It was a tardy notice to the Portland team and there is a suspicious tinge to the matter. Mr. Mathis was displeased and disappointed at this announcement and will seek to have the true reason given and will insist that the match be bowled here or else let Lowell forfeit the three games.—Tuesday's Portland Press.

The Portland Argus of the same date has the following to say on the same matter:

"Lowell is weak-hearted, it would seem, as Mr. Mathis received a telegram last evening in which the manager there said he can not come to Portland this evening to roll three games in the intercity series, according to the schedule. He is unable to have this strong attraction for the alleys tonight as a consequence, so he will be obliged to claim the three by forfeit or else have them bowled here later on. It was rather bad management for Lowell to allow this matter to progress to this late hour before sending word to Mr. Mathis, as the Worcester Telegram intimated Saturday morning that the Lowell team would squeal on the Portland trip."

The Gaiety Five defeated the Harvard Brewers at the Bowlaway alleys last night by a score of 1358 to 1312. The score:

GAIETY FIVE.

Rourke	90	99	94	283
Rynn	91	81	116	283
Fleming	83	89	93	265
Harrington	86	86	83	255
Mooney	85	86	91	262
Totals	435	441	477	1358

HARVARD BREWERS.

Quigley	90	87	90	267
McNamee	101	81	89	277
O'Hare	93	81	83	257
Sullivan	93	91	81	269
Clark	93	94	86	273
Totals	473	437	432	1342

The Perrys defeated the Browns on the Bowlaway alleys last night, the winning team capturing all three strings as well as the total. Capt. Perry was high man with a three string total of 263. The score:

PERRYS.

McGill	79	83	96	258
McMillin	85	92	73	250
Hannan	106	83	72	261
Dorris	84	78	92	254
Perry	79	102	83	263
Totals	432	438	415	1258

BROWNS.

Ferrin	84	56	31	217
Boyle	77	82	94	252
Brigham	81	82	86	249
Lablanc	81	76	78	233
Brown	99	77	70	246
Totals	422	403	403	1228

MARRIED COUPLES WON.

The married couples defeated the single couples by over one hundred pins at the private alleys at the Bowlaway alleys last night. The score:

TEAM ONE.

Miss McDonald	61	60	61	182
D. Hambleton	75	75	78	228
Miss E. Young	61	52	60	173
G. Clayton	71	77	91	239
H. Pease	66	65	61	185
J. Woodcock	72	71	84	227
Totals	396	400	438	1234

TEAM TWO.

Mrs. Shaw	43	58	45	146
Mr. J. Shaw	76	56	78	210
Mrs. Scholes	48	68	58	174
W. Scholes	72	69	78	219
Mrs. Gilman	57	59	41	155
E. Gilman	68	61	60	192
Totals	366	404	363	1127

YOUNG DEBATERS

HEAR AN INSTRUCTIVE TALK ON ADVERTISING.

A well attended meeting of the Solon W. Stevens Debating club was held last night, and during the evening a fine literary program was carried out: Thomas Smith, delivered Rep. Cousin's oration on the "Heroes of the Maine Disaster." R. R. Richardson recited "The Relief of Lucknow" and as an encore, "The Volunteer Organist."

The feature of the evening, however, was a paper on "Modern Advertising" by William O. Dearborn. He said in part: That the man who never advertises is like the man without a home, no one knows where to find him. The advertising of yesterday is not like the advertising of today. It has changed from being the instrument of quacks and charlatans to a place as an engine in the conduct and expansion of business. It also modifies the course of a people's daily thought, giving new ideas, new fashions, new phrases, new ideas, new fashions, new prejudices and new customs. As men with better training and higher mental powers become identified with advertising, the profession of an advertising man has steadily risen until today it aspires to rank with that of the three black "Graces, law, medicine and divinity. No estimate of the future of advertising perhaps would be excessive. No modern field of industry shows larger possibilities of development. After a talk on the various advertising successes of the past 40 years, he finished by saying that in advertising as in all other lines, the sublimest thing in the world is plain truth.

Mr. Dearborn was given a rising vote of thanks.

COBURN MISSION.

The fifth anniversary of the Coburn mission was held last night at the school house in Varnum avenue. The attendance was very large and a fine supper was served by the members of the mission, while ice cream and cake were served by the young ladies. An interesting program was also carried out consisting of the following numbers:

Welcome, by Mrs. Conant; readings, by Miss Blanchard; male quartet, Messrs. Ring, Axon, Coburn and Patten; songs by Messrs. J. R. V. Coburn, Harry Patten and Robert Ring; quartet, C. A. Richardson, E. S. Howe, Mrs. O. R. Park, Miss Bartlett; whistling solo, Miss May, accompanied by Miss Esther Caddell; songs, Mr. Bartlett, Mr. H. Howe; remarks, Rev. E. R. Smith, James Caddell.

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Corrected to October 10, 1904. Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.43, 6.22, x6.45, 7.40, *8.50, *9.22, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Midd'esex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.30, x6.43, w6.50, 7.01, 7.21, 7.31, *7.48, 7.52, w*8.00, *8.07, w9.25, *9.33, w10.50, 11.06, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.50, 1.41, *1.55, w2.30, w*3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.25, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w*6.15, *6.12, w7.00, 7.29, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS 6.30, 7.14, w8.15, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; w12.10, 3.25, w3.55, w5.32, 6.29, w8.03 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, z7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w2.30, w3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.30, w11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, w8.15 a. m.; w12.10, w5.32 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, n2.30, n3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.23, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, 11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15, a. m.; 12.10, 5.32 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.32 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.06, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.32 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.32 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m.; SUNDAYS, 5.32 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06, p. m.

For Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.05 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor and Belfast, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS 5.32 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 6.28 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.32 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland) on Monday at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgewick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport, Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m. Last trip of season, October 28, 1904.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.48, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.; 2.25, 5.29 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg Divisions, 7.07, 11.58 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Stations on W. N. & P. Division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.03 a. m. (3.40 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS to Hillsboro 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; *12.03, 1.00, *1.39, 3.40, *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; *12.03, *1.39, (to Franklin only), 5.39, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.39 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont Line *9.39 a. m.; *12.03, *8.10 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, *10.39 a. m; 1.39 p. m. (6.39 p. m. to Plymouth); *b9.10 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *10.39 a. m.; *1.39, *q9.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec via Plymouth and C. P. R., *10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m.

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References:
n Via Wakefield Junction.
* Express. b Daily.
q Wednesdays and Saturdays only.
w Via Western Division.
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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Patrick J. Maguire, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John W. Maguire, of Lowell, in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the sixteenth day of May A. D. 1905, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this second day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and five.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Beatrice A. Henderson of Cambridge in said County, that she was lawfully married to William H. Henderson, now of New Aberdeen, Glace Bay, Cape Breton, Canada, at Boston, on the 12th day of October A. D. 1901, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said William H. lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at Boston, that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said William H. being wholly regardless of the same, at Boston on or about the 10th day of November A. D. 1901, utterly deserted your libellant and that said utter desertion has continued for more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said William H. Also there has been born to them of this marriage Percy Douglas Henderson, a minor child on July 9th, 1902, and your libellant prays said minor child may be committed to her care and custody.

Dated this 29th day of April A. D. 1905.

BEATRICE A. HENDERSON.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court, May 2, A. D. 1905.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of June next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel—last known residence of the libellee, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest,
THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between the 5 and 10 cent store and the waiting room, small brown pocketbook, containing a sum of money. Reward at 1 Quimby ave.

LOST—Between Gates and Thorndike sts., a ten dollar bill. Return to Connors Bros., 16 Thorndike st.

LOST—On a Lowell car in Reading square, small black purse containing small change, gold locket and chain, valued as a keepsake, name card and papers. Please return same to Mabelle Venn, secretary to supt. of schols, Malden and receive reward.

LOST—Two lady's' diamond rings in small leather purse. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Sun Office.

LOST—a lady's gold locket, initials M. A. C. Return to Sun office and receive reward.

LOST—Old fashioned black jet pin Sunday between 5 and 6 o'clock p. m. from Engine house on High st. through E. Merr'k to Bridge sts. Return to 24 West 6th st. and receive reward.

LOST—Sunday, lady's gold watch, chain and locket. Finder rewarded at 9 Manahan st.

LOST—A lady's pocketbook containing sum of money and lady's gold rimmed glasses and small photo, between Princeton boulevard and No. depot on Sunday afternoon. Finder return to 46 Walnut st. and receive reward.

LOST—A brown Shepherd dog, white feet and white breast. Finder return to 44 Lundberg st. and receive reward.

LOST—In vicinity of Northern depot, light curly theatrical wig. Finder will please return to 535 Varnum ave. and receive reward.

FOUND—A sum of money April 29th. Inquire at Sun Office.

LOST—A black and tan hound, name on collar, R. Martin. Finder return same rear of 73 Whipple st. and receive reward.

LOST—French bull pup, bat ear, colored black, front white paw. Return to 168 Branch st. and receive reward.

LOST—Boston terrier, bat ears, screw tail; nice brindle, white on nose, wore collar with no name on it. Reward at 70 Gorham st.

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TO LET—Two new modern flats on Rolfe st, opp. Normal school. Private entrances, verandas, steam heat, open plumbing, hard wood floors, gas and electric fixtures. Open for inspection daily between 3 and 5 p. m.

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Lowell defeated Manchester in a close and well contested game at Spalding park yesterday afternoon. This was the first appearance of the Queen City team in Lowell since the opening of the present season, and the members of the team were given quite an ovation by the old fans who always enjoyed a game between Lowell and Manchester.

Cross did the slab work for Lowell while Leith did similar duty for Manchester. The attendance was about the same as yesterday, 250, though the weather conditions were somewhat improved, as there was but a slight breeze blowing across the diamond.

After the usual preliminary practice Umpire McCloud walked on to the diamond and the game was called at 3.15 o'clock.

FIRST INNING.

The visitors went to bat first and went out in quick order. Spratt struck out. Armbruster hit over second base for a single but Anderberg caught him off first and threw the ball to Merritt who tagged him out. Page hit a hot grounder to J. Connors and was the third man out.

Lowell made Manchester's fielders look like bad money in the latter half of the first inning, though there was some cause for it as the team was rather crippled owing to the fact that there were three pitchers in the game, Whiting being at shortstop and Smith in right field. Grant opened the inning by striking out. William Connors drew his base on balls. Jackson hit to Page forcing Connors out at second. Bigble hit to Whiting who threw the ball over the first baseman's head into the bleachers and Jackson scored. Bigble went down to second on the play. J. Connors was hit by a pitched ball and walked to first. Merritt was given a base on balls filling the bases. McLaughlin then came to the bat and hit through Whiting, and Bigble and J. Connors scored. Whiting recovering the ball, however, returned it to first and McLaughlin was caught napping off the base.

Score—Lowell 3, Manchester 0.

SECOND INNING.

Neither side scored in the second inning. Kane singled to right field, and as he started to steal second base Clark hit to Grant. The latter caught the ball and sent it back to first for a double. Whiting drew his base on balls. Smith closed the inning by striking out.

Anderburg opened for Lowell by hitting over the second baseman's head. Cross bunted, intending to sacrifice, and Kane fielded the ball to second, putting out Anderburg. Grant then flied out to Smith and Connors closed the inning by hitting in front of the plate and Cote threw him out.

Score—Lowell 3, Manchester 0.

THIRD INNING.

In the third Manchester failed to score. Cote struck out, Leith hit a high fly which Anderburg took care of. Spratt sent a grounder which Barney fumbled and the Manchester man walked to first. He then stole second. Armbruster, however, closed the inning by sending a high fly to Connors.

Jackson hit to Page but the ball was traveling so fast he could not handle it and Jackson reached first. Bigble sacrificed sending Jackson to second. Connors and Merritt sent grounders to Page and were thrown out.

Score—Lowell 3, Manchester 0.

FOURTH INNING.

Page opened up the fourth by hitting to McLaughlin, but the latter fumbled and he reached first in safety. He then stole second base. Kane hit to the left field fence for what looked to be a sure two-bagger, but Bigble made a pretty running catch. Clark hit a line drive to Connors. Connors caught the ball and then sent it down to McLaughlin, who caught it on the run, tagging Page out for a double play.

Lowell scored another run in the fourth inning. McLaughlin opened with a base on balls. Anderburg then singled over second base. Cross hit to Whiting and the latter made his third error, but he threw back to the plate in time to prevent Lowell from scoring. Grant then flied out to Smith. Connors popped a fly to right field scoring McLaughlin. Jackson hit to Leith and Anderburg was caught at the plate. Bigble closed the inning by flying out to Page.

Score—Lowell 4, Manchester 0.

FIFTH INNING.

Neither side scored in the fifth inning and both sides were retired in one, two, three order. Whiting opened up for the visitors by hitting to McLaughlin and going out at first. Smith flied out to Bigble, and Cote was the third out on three strikes.

In Lowell's half J. Connors and Merritt sent grounders to Whiting, who threw them out at first. McLaughlin hit to Page and was the third out.

Score—Lowell 4, Manchester 0.

SIXTH INNING.

Manchester scored two runs in the sixth inning. Leith opened with a single to right field. Spratt flied out to McLaughlin. Armbruster singled to left field. Page foul flied to Connors. Kane drew his bases on balls, filling the bases. Clark hit to centre field and Grant made an excusable error, dropping the ball after a long, hard run. Leith and Armbruster scored on the error. Anderburg then caught Kane off second and threw the ball to second finally getting him out at third.

Anderburg got his third hit in the game in this inning, in the direction of right field. Cross foul flied to Cote. Grant flied out to Armbruster, but he latter dropped the ball. Anderburg, thinking the ball would be caught, did not start for second and was tagged out. Grant then tried to steal second and was thrown out.

Score—Lowell 4, Manchester 2.

SEVENTH INNING.

Whiting opened by hitting to Connors and going out at first. Smith hit to Cross and was also retired at first. Cote hit to left field for a single, but Leith retired the side by foul flying to Merritt.

Lowell went out in quick order in the latter half of the seventh. Connors and Jackson struck out and Bigble hit to Page and was out at first.

Score—Lowell 4, Manchester 2.

EIGHTH INNING.

Spratt opened the eighth by flying out to Grant. Armbruster hit between J. Connors and McLaughlin and both players thought the other was going to get it which resulted in the ball dropping betwen the two of them. Page flied out to Jackson. Kane went out on a line drive to McLaughlin.

J. Connors flied out to Armbruster. Merritt was hit by a pitched ball. McLaughlin struck out. Anderberg flied out to Whiting.

Score—Lowell 4, Manchester 2.

NINTH INNING.

Clark flied out to Jackson. Whiting flied out to McLaughlin. Smith flied out to Grant.

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Grant cf	4	0	0	0	3	1	1
W. Connors 2b	3	0	1	1	2	2	0
Jackson rf	4	1	1	1	2	0	0
Bigble lf	3	1	0	0	2	1	0
J. Connors 3b	3	1	0	0	2	1	0
Merritt 1b	2	0	0	0	7	0	0
McLaughlin ss	3	1	0	0	5	2	2
Anderberg c	4	0	3	3	4	3	0
Cross p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	29	4	5	5	27	11	3

MANCHESTER.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Spratt cf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armbruster lf	4	1	3	3	1	1	1
Page 3b	4	0	0	0	1	6	0
Kane 1b	3	0	1	1	9	1	0
Clark 2b	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Whiting ss	3	0	0	0	3	3	3
Smith rf	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Cote c	3	0	1	1	6	2	0
Leith p	3	1	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	32	2	6	6	24	15	4

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Lowell	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	x	—4
Manchester	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—2

Summary: Sacrifice hits—Bigble. Stolen bases—Spratt. Page. Double plays—Grant and Merritt, W. Connors and McLaughlin. First base on balls—Off Cross 2, off Leith 3. Struck out—By Cross, 4, by Leith 4. Hit by pitched ball—J. Connors, Merritt. Time of game—1.50. Attendance—250. Umpire—McCloud.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Haverhill	6	3	.667
Manchester	6	4	.600
Lowell	6	4	.600
Nashua	5	4	.556
Concord	5	5	.500
New Bedford	4	6	.400
Fall River	4	6	.400
Lynn	2	8	.200

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Lowell—Lowell 4; Manchester 2.
At Fall River—Haverhill 4, Fall River 3.
At Nashua—Nashua 1, Concord 0. (11 innings.)
At New Bedford—New Bedford 13, Lynn 1.

GAMES TODAY.

(New England League.)

Lowell at Manchester.
Lynn at New Bedford.
Haverhill at Fall River.
Nashua at Concord.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	15	5	.750
Pittsburg	13	8	.619
Chicago	13	9	.526
Philadelphia	10	9	.526
Cincinnati	11	10	.524
Brooklyn	9	15	.375
Boston	7	14	.333
St. Louis	6	14	.300

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston—(First game) Boston 1, Chicago 3. (Second game)—Chicago 4, Boston 2.
At New York—New York 4, St. Louis 3.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 10, Pittsburg 3.
At Brooklyn—Cincinnati 5, Brooklyn 0.

GAMES TODAY.

(National League.)

Chicago at Boston.
St. Louis at New York.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
Pittsburg at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Washington	12	9	.571
Cleveland	10	8	.556
Philadelphia	10	9	.526
Chicago	9	10	.474
St. Louis	9	10	.474
New York	9	10	.474
Detroit	8	10	.444
Boston	9	12	.429

GAMES TODAY.

(American League.)

Boston at Detroit.
Washington at Cleveland.

COLLEGE GAMES.

At Cambridge—Harvard 5, Cornell 1.
At Hartford—Trinity 5, New York university 0.
At Worcester—Holy Cross 6, Williams 4.
At Exeter—Exeter 6, Tufts 3.
At Hanover—Brown 7, Dartmouth 2.
At Waterville—Colby 11, Bowdoin 6.
At Orono, Me.—Bates 1, University of Maine 0.
At Burlington, Vt.—University of Vermont 10, Lehigh 0.

LAWRENCE WON

LOWELL HIGH DEFEATED IN WELL PLAYED GAME.

The Lowell High school team went to Glen Forest yesterday and was beaten by a score of 3 to 1 though they outhatted the Lawrence team 9 to 5. The home team got all their runs in the first inning and were then shut out by Bennett. The score:

Lawrence	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—3
Lowell	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—1

DIAMOND NOTES.

The Lynn fans will have enough to talk about for the next few days.

Concord will play here on Saturday and Lowell will play in Manchester today and Concord tomorrow.

Tommy Murphy of this city has gone to Laconia, N. H., where he will accept a clerical position and play on the Laconia team incidentally.

Young Anderberg certainly had his eye on the ball yesterday. His three hits were all clean ones. There is also a noticeable improvement in Anderberg's throwing.

Princeton and Amherst yesterday established a new record for college games. They played 18 innings and the final score was 1 to 0.

Tom Raftery has joined the Haverhill team once more. He is a good fielder and a fine batter, and is one of the South Boston contingent of natural born ball players.

In line with the anti-spitting crusade by the boards of health of New England cities and towns we may yet see placarded at our ball parks the legend, "Spitting on the ball, positively forbidden. Per order of the Board of Health."

Sid Rollins of last year's Nashua team is with Sen. Whitney's Burlington, Vt., team. Sen. Whitney is an ardent admirer of the game and a few years ago was a pretty good first baseman himself. When associated with the Lebanon, N. H., mills he had a first class team in Lebanon and since going to Burlington as agent of the Winooski, Vt., mills he has built up the Burlington team.

With a little warm weather and a stronger infield the fans of Lynn will show by their presence at Glennere Park that they want league baseball. If our memory serves us rightly, Mr. Leonard of the Lynn Independent team which is raising such a howl because Fred Lake went to Lynn with a league team is the same hustling baseball manager who with others some few years ago was permanently connected with the "New England association," which "batted in" on the New England league, putting both to the bad.

AMATEUR BALL

The Groves would like to hear from the Unions of North Chelmsford for a game Saturday. They would also like to arrange games with the Lincolns, Almonts and other strong teams. Address Peter McNamara, 130 Perry street.

The Watsons have won two out of three games played and would like to meet any Haverhill team.

The Young Pelicers want a game with any team under 12 years of age. Send challenges to J. Bowen, 23 Davidson st.

The Portsmouths challenge any team under 13 years of age. Send all challenges to Fred Gray, 124 Lilley avenue, or through this paper.

The Contralville Blues defeated the Dragons by a score of 16 to 6. The features of the game were the fielding of Allen, Courtois and Flynn and the batting of Ducharme and Leblanc for the Blues, and the batting of King for the Dragons. Batteries, Ducharme and Conley for the Blues, Sullivan and Donaldson for the Locers.

Punk Harrington's team of unofficially would like a challenge from the Young Beauties of Belvidere for next Saturday, our lineup is as follows: Rodie Gendreau, c; F. Harrington, p; J. Shanley, 1b; R. Liston, ss; Tom Rogers, 2b; John Liston, 3b, Prince Liston, cf; Nero Regan, rf; Red Mike, lf.

The T. A. C.'s have organized for the season of 1905 and will play any team under 14 years of age. The lineup is as follows: H. O'Connor, p; N. Scott, c; W. Conley, 1b; L. Delaney, ss; W. Dussault, 2b; L. Fox, 3b; H. McNulty, lf; T. McDonald, cf; A. O'Connor, rf.

The Powell Stars have organized a team for 1905. We will receive all comers. The C. A. C. offered us a game but squealed. Our lineup is as follows: Prindle c, Miller p, Chadwick 1b, Cates 2b, P. Willis ss, Haggetts 3b, Eagle lf, J. Willis rf, Lapeur cf. Send all challenges to P. Willis or through this paper. We will challenge all teams under 13 years of age.

The Young Middlesex Village boys of North Chelmsford by the score of 14 to 6. We challenge any team under 13 years of age. The lineup is as follows: Andrew Hanler c; Joe Clouds, p; Ray Humphy, 1b; Horace Livingston, 2b; John Field, 3b; Ralph Lane, ss; Eddie Vlau, rf; Walter Perry, cf; Elmer Shaw, lf. Address Andrew Hanler, 19 Corey st.

The Christian Hills defeated the Young Ithacilles this morning on Benson street to the tune of 11 to 8. Frankie Hulsh started to pitch for the Ithacilles but we knocked him out of the box and then "Yiddie" Brown started to pitch but he was no better. The Christian Hills will challenge any team in the city under 14 years of age. Send all challenges to John Sperko, 347 Beacon st.

Hurrah! Hurrah! Hurrah! Here we are again! Who? The H. A. C. We beat the Auburn Blues by a score of 4 to 3. We will play any team in the city under 13 years of age. We will play the Auburn Blues for a quarter ball. We will play them Saturday morning or afternoon on the common. Punk Vallery got his release from the Bassetts. He wanted to be manager of the Bassetts. He is playing with the Auburn Blues. Our lineup is as follows: F. Donahue c, A. Donahue p, T. Reynolds 1b, J. Reynolds 2b, T. Nelson 3b, F. Geary ss, J. Hayden rf, J. Quirk cf, W. Curtin lf. Send all challenges to Manager Arthur Donahue, 11 Bassett street, city. Hurrah, hurrah, for the H. A. C!

The Boylston Stars would like to challenge any team in the city under 12 years of age. Our lineup is as follows: Howard Johnson c, G. McElroy p, A. Mach 1b, N. Tomokins 2b, Henry Johnson ss, C. Hockmeyer 3b, V. Hockmeyer lf, C. Bradley cf, W. Hayes rf. We will play the Brownies Saturday. We have to play the Wigginville. We have played five games and won all. They didn't show up, so we won the game. We beat the Lowell Juniors by a score of 18 to 18. We would like to hear from the Willow Stars, or the Rough Riders. Send all challenges to H. Johnson, 48 Boylston street, or to Grant McElroy, 305 Fairmount street. Our sub is W. Reardon.

The Victors Jr. defeated the Green grammar school, for the second time this year. The score was 21 to 8 in our favor. The features of the game were a catch by A. Entabrook of the Victors and the pitching was done by C. Marcotte for us. We will play any team under 13 years old. Our lineup is: J. Fife c, C. Marcotte p, E. Labrie 1b, L. Vigeant ss, P. Owen 2b, A. Entabrook 3b, J. Kerr lf, J. Bean cf, T. Curry rf. We will play the Young Shamrocks next Saturday. Send all challenges to A. Entabrook, 29 Perkins street.

Hooray! Who are we? Don't know? Yes we do. We are the Night Owls. We played a game of three innings Friday night and won. The batteries were Andy Moynahan and Stevie Griffin. Andy is world famed for his pitching and curves the balls around the bat. Griffin eats all the balls that Moynahan pitches. He also did great batting making a home run, a two bagger and a single and knocked the cover off a quarter ball. Moynahan held the other team down to three hits and the Night Owls won out by a score of 5 to 3. Among the spectators were the great and only "Cast Iron Kibe," "Sandwich Bob," Pres. T. Fitzgerald of the tobacco trust, and Pres. Butts Kearney of the match trust.

The Golden Showers played butterfly game Saturday morning, winning by a score of 9 to 0. We had to play a good game because the other team was a bunch of squealers. We had to give them everything. We played that beautiful operetta entitled "Who Died First?" We would like to play the Bassetts next Saturday morning on the North common. Among the spectators were John D. Rockefeller, Andrew Carnegie, Pres. Roosevelt and many other prominent people. We had lunch after the game and a smoke talk. We also had wash tub solos by Comedian Fitzgerald, coal hod dances by Kearney and McKinnon. The girls winked at the manager and he couldn't help laughing from the first inning to the ninth. Rockefeller gave us $10,000 for a ball, bat, glove and mask. I wish we could get a game for next Saturday, the Bassetts preferred. Be sure. Be wise and so be wise.

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THE SUN'S PLATFORM

FOR THE GOOD OF LOWELL

1. ADOPT a new charter giving the mayor full power to appoint and remove at will, the heads of all city departments and members of all boards or commissions.

2. ABOLISH the common council and provide for a single legislative board of 27 aldermen, three from each ward.

3. CREATE public boards to have charge of streets, buildings, police, fire, pauper and water departments.

4. ANNEX portions of Dracut and Tewksbury, including the "Navy Yard" and the Andover road as far as the Hood farm.

5. ABOLISH the Merrimack street station and the grade crossings at Market, Thorndike and Middlesex streets and extend the northern station to Thorndike street.

6. BUILD a public hall and market on the White lot in Merrimack Square.

Street and sewer work generally comes high, but we must have it. It is not the only thing that comes high.

The nation must control the railroads, says President Roosevelt. Yes, control them if we do not own them. Fix the rates.

It looks now as if Lowell would get permission to supply a new industry on her borders with water if she so elects.

The Massachusetts authorities should call somebody to a strict account for the loss of the Joy line steamer. Will this disaster go down in history as did many others, the investigation of which showed nobody to blame?

THE PROVINCE AND USES OF UNIVERSITY EXTENSION.

The cause of university extension is receiving considerable attention at the present time particularly from those who possess the rich treasures of thought dispensed in the class room to those students fortunate enough to be able to spend their time at college. But the aim of university extension is by courses of lectures or of study and reading to give the people who thirst for knowledge but who cannot attend college an opportunity to master some of the studies and imbibe some of the rich thoughts with which the college course abounds.

At a recent lecture at Northampton in this state Andrew Carnegie said: "The question is always before us—is man retrograding or advancing: is he becoming purer, nobler; is he devoting more and more of his time and means to the benefit of his fellows, and thinking less and less of himself; is the idea of brotherhood increasing—the knowledge that we are all members of one great family, only playing with somewhat different toys?"

There is reason to believe that man's mental scope is ever widening and that at the same time the effect of the Christian religion is leading to a variety of movements of a humane and benevolent nature never before thought of among the common people.

But college extension as we take it has to do only with secular education in all its varied branches. Its aim is to supply the means of acquiring knowledge, usually confined to a university course, to those outside the university, those engaged in the busy pursuits of daily life, to guide them in the acquisition of knowledge, to enable them to help themselves and to instruct them as to the right use of the knowledge thus obtained.

Prof. James Stuart of Cambridge university first suggested the idea of university extension by lecturing before the North British Reading association. At the present time the Philadelphia society for the extension of university teaching is perhaps, the most prominent in this country and it has undoubtedly done a great deal of good work.

Not the least valuable of its services is the example it has set to the rest of the country in disseminating by lecture and courses of study the seeds of learning among the people who are unable to attend universities and colleges.

There is a common tendency among all classes to drop study after passing the school age but the university extension idea would encourage continuous study. There is ample opportunity for continuous and profitable study, reading and research even among those who have never had the opportunity of a college education.

Even the graduates of colleges fall into this blunder to such an extent that ten years after they have left college they have forgotten their Latin and Greek; and have to refresh their memory quite often if they wish to retain a firm hold upon their English studies.

Now if this is the case with the educated people are not the effects of forgetfulness even more serious to those who had no college education? Unless they study, unless they refresh their memory, unless from an early age they apply regularly most of what they learned, by the end of ten or twelve years they will have completely forgotten it and nothing will remain but the mental development and discipline.

Anything that will prevent this effect of time in obliterating from the memory all that is learned in youth, anything that will not only ensure the retention of what we possess but make it the foundation of a grand superstructure is to be encouraged. If we are not mistaken, this is the aim of university extension. The aim is practical, useful and commendable.

The greatest obstacle to such a movement is the tendency on the part of some of the lecturers to take great pains to condemn the religious ideas held by those who seek for knowledge. There is such a diversity of opinion upon religious matters, in general, among college professors that they should avoid thrusting their religious views upon the people who are seeking literary or scientific instruction. The uneducated man who has learned the great truths of religion from a little catechism may have more correct views of religion than the higher critics who tear the bible to rags in their own way and who will not admit the authenticity of a single fact of the Christian religion.

When such men set out to preach religion or rather, we might say, irreligion to those whom they suppose to be ignorant on the subject, they are doing harm instead of good because they are striving to overthrow a faith that is divine and put in its place the ever shifting and evanescent phantom of doubt.

Then let the work of university extension be conducted on right lines and it is sure to succeed, it is sure to produce good fruit, sure to grow and prosper until all the people in the land have felt its improving and uplifting influence.

IN CONVENTION

The Merrimack Valley Baptists Met

AT THE TEWKSBURY CHURCH

Abstract of Addresses and Work Done

The Merrimack Valley Baptists held their 39th annual convention at North Tewksbury yesterday. There were four hundred delegates present and the convention was one of the best in the history of the association. A great many different subjects were discussed and interest was great at all times. The following churches and missions were represented:

Methuen Baptist, First Baptist of Haverhill, First Baptist of Chelmsford, First Baptist of Lowell, Second Baptist of Haverhill, First Baptist of Billerica, Worthen Street Baptist of Lowell, No. Tewksbury Baptist, First Baptist of Lawrence, North Billerica Baptist, Andover Baptists, Portland Street Baptist of Haverhill, Second Baptist of Lawrence, Georgetown Baptist, Merrimack Baptist, Central Baptist of Chelmsford, Branch Street Tabernacle of Lowell, Calvary Baptist of Haverhill, Fifth Street Baptist of Lowell, Mt. Washington Baptist of Haverhill, Long Sought Baptist of Westford, Immanuel Baptist of Lowell, Chinese Baptist of Lowell, French Baptist of Centralville, Hildreth Mission of Lowell, Monument Street Baptist of Haverhill, Italian Baptist of Haverhill.

President C. F. Gegenheimer of Lawrence called to order at 10.30. Rev. Robert F. True of the Immanuel Baptist church of Lowell conducted a short devotional singing exercise. Rev. C. H. Ellis of the Chelmsford Centre Baptist church was secretary. The chair announced the following as the nomination committee: Rev. A. T. Belknap of Andover, chairman; Rev. S. L. Morse of Merrimack; Rev. Isaac LaFleur of Lowell.

The first address of the morning was by Rev. Asa R. Dilts of the Branch Street Tabernacle. "An Effective Sunday School" was his topic and he said in part:

"The boys and girls of our Sunday schools have no appetite for spiritual things because they are not fed on the right kind of air. Spiritual blood must be purified just as physical blood, else there will be no appetite. The efforts of teachers have been completely nullified in some schools because of a spirit of worldliness and indifference, which does more hurt to the boys and girls than can be counteracted by months of work.

"One of the greatest essentials is to make our schools effective. Effectiveness means primarily to win souls to Christ and to build them up for Him.

"What is the right kind of an atmosphere? There are three or four elements entering into it. First, there should be on the part of the pastor, superintendent and teacher, a consciousness of God. Too many of us do not have it, and that accounts for irreverence. No one can have a consciousness of God and be irreverent. They are diametrically opposed, and smash each other.

"Then there should be a sense of accountability toward God, and a sense of responsibility toward the boys and girls. The trouble with some is the lack of this sense of accountability.

"We ministers should enter the pulpit with that feeling that we are messengers from God. When truth has affected somebody else it is when it has become part of a personality. Truth to do its work must be transmitted into emotion and power.

"Then there is the spirit of prayer. If every teacher were filled with it and breathed it in the class, don't you believe that there would be an atmosphere of prayer in that Sunday school? It is necessary for the right kind of spiritual air.

"The spirit of love must be in the teacher's heart. This is the supremest qualification. Without love, all other qualifications go for naught.

"How is this spiritual atmosphere created is asked. If the pastor and superintendent and teacher are right, then the atmosphere will be right. There will be a spiritual appetite and a spiritual digestion that will take care of the problems which may come up. The best thing we can do for the scholars is to bring them characters like Jesus Christ's so that the exultation shall fill them with the spirit."

Mr. Ernest G. Heald of Lawrence sang a solo. Miss Agnes Trull was accompanist.

Rev. C. L. Pierce, pastor of the North Tewksbury church, and chairman of the committee on arrangements, made a brief report.

The second speaker of the morning was W. W. Main, secretary of the Massachusetts Baptist Sunday School association. His topic was "Our State Work."

Rev. A. T. Belknap of Andover made an address on "Denominational Teaching in the Sunday School." In part he said:

"In most of our Sunday schools no special effort is made to give instructions in the history, principle and practices of the denomination. Recent works on the Sunday school and on religious education discuss every topic bearing on their theme, but of denomination teaching they make scant, if any mention. Indeed it is the fashion to decry denominationalism and minimize the difference between the various branches of the Christian church. For the decay of bigotry, we may well be thankful, but an easy going tolerance which is the fruit of indifference, is worse than bigotry.

Rev. J. A. McElwain of Boston spoke upon two subjects, "Evangelism in Our Sunday School" and "Decision Day."

Dinner was served by the ladies of the church.

Devotional exercises in the afternoon were led by Rev. E. A. Whittier and Rev. Robert F. True. Rev. Asa Reed Dilts and Miss Trull, the church organist. Secretary C. H. Ellis made his annual report.

The following officers were nominated and elected:

President, Edson C. Walker of Merrimack; vice president, Harry R. Davis of Haverhill; secretary and treasurer, Rev. C. H. Ellis of Chelmsford Centre; executive committee, the above officers and Rev. C. L. Pierce of North Tewksbury, Rev. R. L. Webb of Haverhill, Deacon D. S. Archibald of Haverhill, Deacon George E. Murray of Lawrence, Deacon H. C. Wilder of Lowell; trustee of Massachusetts Baptist Sunday School association, Deacon G. A. Murray of Lawrence.

Mrs. Frank Farr of Lawrence spoke on the "Social Element in the Sunday School."

"A Business Man's Business in the Sunday School," was the theme of a paper by George E. Murray of Lawrence.

Mrs. T. R. Peede of Everett told of her work among the young women of her church. She made several valuable suggestions about handling the girls, and keeping them interested in the Master's work.

"The Young Man and the Sunday School" was the subject of an address by Rev. Chester H. Howe of North Billerica.

Rev. T. R. Peede of Everett had for his subject "A Larger Conception of the Sunday School Work."

The convention dissolved at 5.15 o'clock.

ON THE CREASE

WEEKLY MEETING OF MOHAIR CRICKET CLUB.

At the weekly meeting of the Mohair Cricket club, at the club house on Tuesday evening, nine new members were added to the increasing roll of membership. It was decided to hold the next smoke talk at the club house on Friday evening, May 26. Quite a number of the gentlemen who took part in the operatic minstrels have volunteered their services for that evening. The team selected to play the Lawrence club on the Chelmsford street grounds on Saturday next will consist of the following named:

Capt. David Hird, Mosley, Shaw, Priestly, West, J. J. Whittaker, Shuttleworth, Harrison, Ed. Nelson, J. R. Whittaker, Goldthwaite; reserve, R. Carl; umpire, Gibson; scorer, Williams.

The second team which is to play the North Billerica club at North Billerica will consist of the following named: Capt. Charles Waite, Ernest Nelson, William Nelson, Lynch, Galloway, Sidebottom, Carter, Atkinson, O'Neil O'Donnell, Carl; reserves, Getting and Haynes; umpire, George Fox; scorer, Schwartz.

BUNTING CRICKET CLUB.

The executive committee of the United States Bunting Cricket and Athletic association held their weekly meeting at the Arlington hotel, last evening, President John Crawford presiding and all members present. Four applications for membership were received and accepted. Remarks were made by Joseph Senior, George Emsley, D. Clegg and Ed. Salmon, which were well received. The team committee met earlier in the evening and selected the team to do duty on Saturday, May 13. The first eleven will journey to Glen Forest to oppose the strong Merrimacks in a Massachusetts State league contest and will line up as follows:

H. Rowley, captain; N. Watson, vice captain; H. Rudden, James Ogden, D. Clegg, John Simpson, A. Simpson, M. Greenwood, W. Scholes, John Harley, H. Greenhalgh; reserves, William Marshall, Frank Robinson; umpire, M. Duggan; scorer, Thomas Robinson. Car leaves Merrimack square at 1 p.m.

The Bunting reserves will have as opponent their old time rivals, their near neighbors, the Zions, in a league game in the junior division of the Mass. State league.

This will be the opening league game for the Reserves and it is to be played on the Bunting crease at Wigginville. A good game is expected and the team will line up as follows:

G. Scholes, captain; G. Townsend, vice captain; T. Robinson, A. Marsden, H. Williams, H. Clayton, H. Murphy, John Greenwood; reserves, Wm. Yerkess, Thomas Stockton, John Woodcock; umpire, A. Butterfield; scorer, Charles McGrail. Game called at 2.30 p.m. Players and officers who cannot attend will notify their secretary no later than Friday morning.

ZION CRICKET CLUB.

The team chosen to represent the Zion club in the game with the Bunting Reserves on their grounds Saturday afternoon is as follows: William Croft, sr., captain; Matthew Meiklejohn, Harry Meiklejohn, Samuel Gulline, Charles Clogston, James West, Arthur Hindle, Joseph Wilmot, William Croft, jr., Fred Chapman, Harry Maden. Reserves, Alfred Fielding, Albert Whitworth; umpire, George Clegg. Games commences at 2.45.

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SERIOUSLY ILL

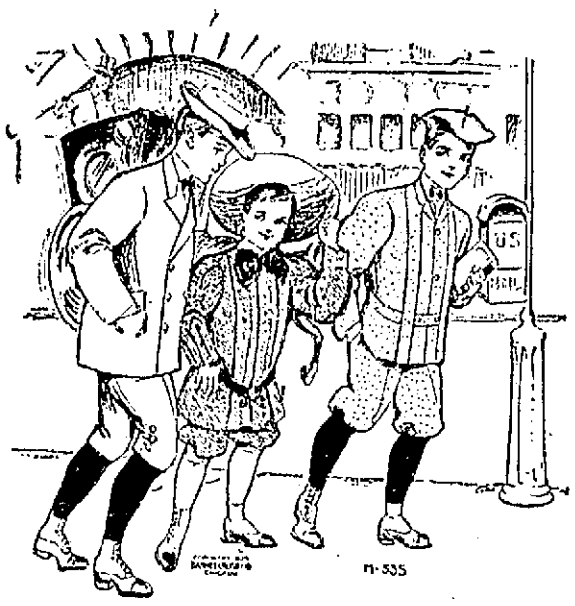
From the Effects of a Dog Bite

Mr. George W. Tilton and his daughter, Mrs. Josephine Hodgman, have returned to Lowell from New York where they underwent treatment for the prevention of hydrophobia. Mr. Tilton is in good condition but Mrs. Hodgman's condition is far from favorable. Dr. Holbrook was called at 3 o'clock yesterday morning to attend Mrs. Hodgman who had shown signs of hydrophobia. Powerful hypodermic injections were given and Dr. Holbrook believes that Mrs. Hodgman will recover.

SMALL STORES

WILL FOLLOW EXAMPLE OF THE LARGE IN CLOSING.

Several of the merchants of Little Canada, who have been in the habit of keeping open every night in the week, have decided to follow the schedule of the big down-town stores, that is to keep open but two nights a week, Monday and Saturday. It is expected that before long the other merchants in that section of the city will follow the example set by Normandin's, St. Hilaire's and Riopelle's stores.



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Eton, unlined, all colors	25c
Eton, silk lined, all colors	50c
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Golf Red Eton	25c
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Pearl Studs, for dress (set)	25c
Pearl Sleeve Links	50c and 25c
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Scarf Pins	25c
Collar Buttons	13c
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GUEST OF DEMOCRATS

President Roosevelt Praised by Political Enemies

CHICAGO, Ill., May 11.—Honoring and honored by his political foes, but personal friends, President Roosevelt last night was the chief guest at a magnificent banquet at the Auditorium, tendered to him by the Iroquois club, the leading democratic organization of Illinois. Surrounded by men who have fought against him in two national political campaigns, who deprecate many of his avowed policies, and who have frowned on some of his political actions, the president was cheered to the echo as he entered and left the banquet hall, was applauded with enthusiasm throughout his address, and at its close was given to understand that in his case political differences were not a personal issue.

The banquet was given entirely by democrats to the leader of their political opponents, and many of the kindly personal references made by the speakers of the evening deeply touched the president. In his manner and words he evinced throughout the evening a deep gratification at the warmth of his reception.

At the president's table were Mayor Edward F. Dunne, Charles F. Gunther, president of the Iroquois club; James Hamilton Lewis, toastmaster; Samuel Alschuler, Judge Murry F. Tuley, Sheriff Thomas E. Barrett and other democrats. Of republicans, there were at the same table Gov. Charles S. Deneen, Senator A. J. Hopkins, Judge C. C. Kohlsaat, Judge K. W. Landis and a dozen more.

Prior to the banquet the president held an informal reception. He shook hands with every one of the 700 men who were present, and had a pleasant word for all those who were known to him personally or by reputation.

The arrival in the banquet room of the president, escorted by President Gunther of the Iroquois club, was the signal for an outburst of cheers that continued until the president had traversed the long hall and stood by his seat at the speaker's table. The president bowed repeatedly in acknowledgment of the hearty welcome.

President Gunther delivered a brief address of welcome, saying President Roosevelt was greeted for his broad, patriotic spirit. James Hamilton Lewis then was introduced as toastmaster. He referred to Mr. Roosevelt as "a president of the whole people of the United States; one whose sentiment of public conduct is not partyism, but patriotism; whose theme, in his commingling with mankind, is that of the poet Terrence, saying: 'I am a man, and all things human touch me.'"

Mayor Dunne said: "This city greets Theodore Roosevelt because he is chosen chief of 80,000,000 of free people, because by his sterling manhood, patriotism and energy he has fairly and honestly won the proud position he now occupies—the proudest on earth—and because in his character he typifies that which the citizens of this city honor above all else—honesty of purpose and intensity of effort."

Gov. Deneen spoke to the toast, "Illinois," and J. M. Dickinson spoke to "The Iroquois Club."

WILD CHEERING.

When Toastmaster Lewis arose to introduce President Roosevelt he was at first given no opportunity to speak. The entire assembly was on its feet, waving handkerchiefs and napkins and cheering with vigor. When his voice could be heard, Mr. Lewis happily introduced the president.

At the conclusion of his speech the president was again cheered with enthusiasm. Then accompanied by President Gunther and the members of the reception committee, the president passed quickly from the hall, while the guests cheered him lustily. He went to his room at the Auditorium hotel to prepare for his journey to Washington, whither he departed at 2.30 o'clock.

During the afternoon the president was given a reception by the Harvard club of Chicago. The Harvard club's president, Kellogg Fairbanks, stood at the president's left, and made the introductions. More than 300 graduates of Harvard filed by. When the last graduate had retired to the rear of the parlor, President Fairbanks introduced Samuel S. Greeley, who read a short address to the president. In reply, President Roosevelt spoke of the need of Harvard for "western blood." He said:

"Mr. Greeley, and fellow-Harvard men: I need hardly say what a very real pleasure it has been to greet you this afternoon, but Mr. Greeley spoke of Harvard as winning the west. My pet theory has been that the very best thing that can happen to Harvard is to have the west win it, and I hail every Harvard club west of the Alleghenies even more than I do those east of there, for Harvard's mission in the country can be incalculably furthered if it has a sufficient amount of western blood that 'does things' in it, and for that reason I am particularly pleased to greet the Harvard club of Chicago again under as pleasant circumstances as I have ever had the pleasure of greeting them before. Good-bye and good luck to you."

The Harvard yell was given with a will for the president.

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PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

WANTS $165,000

LEXINGTON WOMAN HAS SUED A STOCK BROKER.

BALTIMORE, May 11.—Eben Sutton, a stock broker, was sued for $165,000 damages in the U. S. district court yesterday by Sarah A. Lincoln of Lexington, Mass., who alleges that Sutton disposed of securities belonging to her without her consent.

The declaration states that from August, 1894, to October 1, 1900, Sutton was conducting a stock and bond broker's business in Boston in partnership with James W. Bowen, under the firm name of Sutton & Brown, and alleges that between August 1, 1897, and October 1, 1900, they received from Edwin M. Thayer securities valued at $60,000, which belonged to the plaintiff.

These securities, it is alleged, were disposed of by Sutton & Bowen for the benefit of Thayer without the knowledge of the plaintiff, although, it is charged, they had means of knowing that Thayer, in hypothecating the securities, was acting wrongfully and without the plaintiff's knowledge or consent.

It is also charged that Sutton & Bowen received checks amounting to about $2500 from Thayer, which belonged to the plaintiff, which checks were cashed and used for the benefit of Thayer, although the defendant had means of knowing that the checks belonged to the plaintiff.

M. William Greeley, the well known clerk has accepted a position with C. E. Smart of Smith street.

GRAND OLIO

WILL BE GIVEN BY THE R. A. GLEE CLUB.

The R. A. Glee club minstrels will repeat their successful minstrel olio in Odd Fellows Temple tomorrow night. Those who attended the recent performance in North Billerica were treated by one of the finest amateur olios ever given in this section. John T. Fairbrother will be director and William Cowdrey pianist.

Hibbard's full orchestra will accompany the chorus of sixty voices.

For the minstrel show William Gilmore will be interlocutor; Walter Leith, Richard Arnold and Charles Defoe, trombones; James J. Carney, Charles D. Rogers and Frank Sargent, bones; Miss Mary Seymour, Miss Della Barry, Mrs. Charles S. Young, Miss Jennie Rodger, William E. Conway, Charles E. Fairbrother, James H. Gannon and Joseph Meller, soloists.

The minstrel program will begin with a grand opening chorus by the entire company, solos by Miss Mary Seymour, Joseph Meller and Miss Della Barry. Miss Della Barry will sing "Alone;" Miss Jamie Rodger, "I Can't Think of Nothing Else But You;" Mrs. Charles S. Young, "When the Golden Sunset Fades Behind the Hills;" Miss Mary Seymour, "Just a Little Attic, But It's Home Sweet Home;" William E. Conway, "The Song Birds are Singing of You;" James H. Gannon, "Sweet Savanno;" Joseph Miller, "In the Shade of the Old Apple Tree;" Charles E. Fairbrother, "I Am Trying So Hard to Forget You;" James J. Carney, "On Your Way, Babe;" Walter Leith, "There's a Nigger in the Moon;" Frank Sargent, "I Want Some One to Call Me Honey;" Richard Arnold, "There's a Dark Man Coming with a Bundle." Following the olio there will be dancing.

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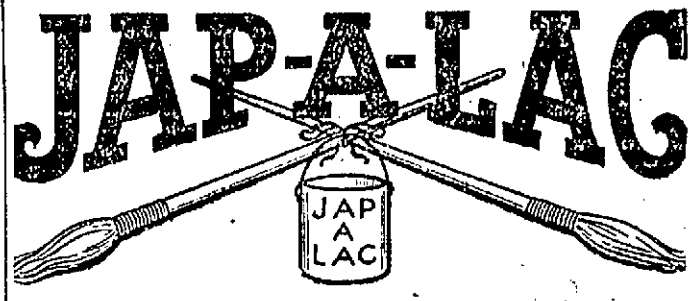

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Office of City Solicitor, Lowell Mass.
May 11, 1905.

Hon. James B. Casey, Mayor of Lowell.

Dear Sir: In answer to your request of May 10th, asking me for a written opinion regarding the law recently passed providing for the granting of licenses for public entertainments, etc., I have the honor to reply as follows:

From your oral request, I understand that you wish an opinion as to whether or not chapter 341 of the acts of 1905 gives the authority to grant such licenses to the mayor and takes away such authority from the board of police.

By chapter 282 of the acts of 1896 all the powers vested by existing laws in the mayor and aldermen or board of police of the city of Lowell in relation to licensing, regulating and restraining theatrical exhibitions, public shows and public amusements, etc., and, generally, all the powers and authority of said mayor and aldermen and said board of aldermen in relation to the granting and revocation of licenses for engaging in any and all of the above mentioned trades and occupations, shall hereafter vest in and be exercised by the board of police of said city. By this act an exception to the general law was made in favor of the city of Lowell and this city was taken out of the class of cities governed by the public statutes and amendments, so far as such licenses were concerned.

Said chapter 341 of the acts of 1905 is an amendment to section 172 of chapter 102 of the revised laws, which is substantially the same as the corresponding provision of the public statutes, and operates to give such licensing power to the mayor of a city, instead of the mayor and board of aldermen, who before this act of 1905 were empowered to grant such licenses. In said chapter 341 of the acts of 1905 there is no express repeal of chapter 283 of the acts of 1896, nor, in my opinion, is there any repeal thereof by implication. Therefore, said act of 1905 does not apply to the city of Lowell and has no effect upon the power of the board of police of said city to grant such licenses.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES GILBERT HILL,
City Solicitor.

JOHN LON

SENT TO PRISON FOR ROBBING A MAN.

BOSTON, May 11.—Sobbing violently John Long, alias Kelley, a professional thief, whose picture adorns the rogues' galleries of several cities in the east, appeared before Judge White in the superior criminal court yesterday afternoon and was sentenced to state prison for not more than four or less than two and a half years, the first day to be spent in solitary confinement.

When the jury brought in the verdict of guilty Long collapsed and again when a sentence of five or seven years was imposed in his case, but later revoked as it was contrary to the statutes. Long showed his emotion to a marked extent, and his sister, who was in the court room, shared his grief.

FUNERALS

McGIRR—The many friends of Mrs. Bridget McGirr, widow of the late Edward McGirr, will be pained to hear of her death which occurred yesterday afternoon at her home, 596 Gorham street, after a long and lingering illness. Mrs. McGirr was possessed of many beautiful traits of Christian character, of a kind and charitable disposition that endeared her to many, and her loss will be deeply mourned. She is survived by three children, Joseph T., and Mary and Susan McGirr.

BISSILL—After a lingering illness Daniel Bissill passed away April 20, at his home at Bube Plain, P. Q. Mr. Bissill was a native of Stanstead, P. Q., born March, 1841. The major part of his life was spent in Lowell. He returned to Canada some six years ago, where he married Mrs. Elizabeth Chiles, who survives him. His body was brought to Lowell for burial.

MARIN—Miss Emma Marin died yesterday at her residence, 31 Ford street, aged 28 years, 4 months. She leaves a father, Magloire Marin, a brother, Hermenegilde Marin, four sisters, Mrs. Fred Lavigne, Mrs. Arthur Beauchesne, Misses Claudia and Wilhelmine Marin, and an aunt, Mrs. Charles Miller, all of this city.

FOREST—Mrs. Marie Forest, widow of Louis Forest, died yesterday at her home, 115 Salem street, aged 70 years. She leaves a mother, Mrs. Lefleche of Windsor, Quebec, who is 101 years old; and nine children, Louis and Casimir Forest, Mrs. J. B. Giraud, Mrs. Moise Gervais and Misses Delia and Adele Forest of this city, Mrs. J. B. Lefleche, of Windsor, Que., Mrs. Joseph Arcand of Manchester, N. H., and Mrs. Joseph Carpentier of North Chelmsford. Deceased had lived in Lowell for the last 35 years, and was universally esteemed among the neighborhood.

CRAIG—Miss Jennie M. Craig, an old resident of this city, passed away at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. H. Mills, Wollaston, Mass., at an early hour yesterday morning. Miss Craig was a member of the Paige Street Free Baptist church of this city.

HARRIGAN—Ester Irene Harrigan, infant daughter of John F. and Mary, died this morning at the home of her parents, 49 Willie street.

RADDICKS—Mrs. Margaret Raddicks, aged 50 years, died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Rainey, 16 Elmwood avenue. Besides her daughter she leaves a sister, Mrs. Bridget Fox of this city. She was an esteemed member of St. Michael's parish and of the Rosary Society connected with the church.

BURNS—The funeral of the late Ann Burns took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 26 Llewellyn street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends of the deceased including a number from out of town. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church in Sixth street where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. Eugene A. Carney. The choir was in attendance and sang the Gregorian mass and during the service appropriate selections were rendered by the members of the choir.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings in evidence showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and acquaintances.

The bearers were Messrs. Hugh, Thomas and Philip Callahan and Frank Thornton. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Carney. The funeral was under the direction of funeral director Thomas J. McDermott.

MANUS—The funeral of Rose P. Manus took place this afternoon at two o'clock from the home of her parents, 15 Bent's court. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of funeral director Thomas J. McDermott.

DEATHS

McMAHAN—The funeral of John McMahan took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker C. H. Molloy. Rev. Fr. Walsh officiated. The bearers were Patrick McNamara, William Murphy, John F. McCann and John Malone. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, Undertaker Molloy in charge.

MOREY—The funeral of Thomas J. Morey was held yesterday afternoon from his late home in Haverhill. Rev. Mr. Webb of Haverhill officiated. Burial was in Tewksbury Centre. The bearers were relatives. Undertaker C. M. Young & Co. of this city had charge.

REGAN—Catherine Regan, aged 32 years, died this morning at St. John's hospital. She is survived by one child.

CHANDLER—The funeral of Mrs. Ella J. Chandler took place yesterday afternoon at from her late home, 4 Lane court. Rev. George F. Kenngott officiated. The body was sent to Elmira, O., by Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck.

GOLF NOTES.

The following new members have been elected to the Vesper Country club: Frederick A. Flather, Geo. A. Lyon, James S. Thomson, P. F. Sullivan, W. S. Southworth, Josiah Butler, Frank A. Grindle, Charles R. Blake, Henry H. Wilder, John E. Drury, Geo. C. Prince, Charles H. Kohlrausch, jr., Fordyce Coburn, John L. Robertson, W. M. Fairbanks, John M. Dunn, William N. Osgood, John B. Hylan, Winthrop P. Buttrick, Thomas Walsh, F. E. Harris, H. Stanley Crysler, Greenleaf C. Brock, Charles H. McIntire, Avery B. Clark, John J. Pickman, Winfred C. MacBrayne.

Capt. Chadwick of the Longmeadow club golf team has made up a temporary list for the team to meet Andover, the list of players being as follows: Capt. Austin K. Chadwick, Henry Wilder, Harold Selfridge, Charles L. Knapp, Otto Hockmeyer, C. W. Huntington and Gen. Adelbert Ames.

The executive committee of the Longmeadow golf club, composed of Gen. Adelbert Ames, George H. Spalding, Otto Hockmeyer and C. L. Knapp, met this week and voted the following applicants into membership in the club: D. Dana Bartlett, Julian B. Keyes, Frank E. Putnam, Percy Parker, Walter L. Muzzey, George A. Nelson, Frederick A. Flather and Arthur Abbott. The executive committee also named a tournament committee consisting of Joseph Peabody, George H. Spalding and Austin K. Chadwick.

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NOT GUILTY

PLEA ENTERED BY MAN ACCUSED OF MURDER.

PORTLAND, Me., May 11.—The trial of Edward F. Cole, on the charge of killing John F. Steeves of Hillsboro, N. B., whose body was found in the woods at Falmouth Sunday, April 23, began in the municipal court today. Cole entered a plea of not guilty. A large number of witnesses were called for the state and the respondent and it was expected the trial would continue two or three days.

$25,000 GIFT

CARNEGIE GIVES IT TO IRON AND

LONDON, May 11.—The annual meeting of the Iron and Steel Institute opened here today, Andrew Carnegie presiding for the last time. The U. S. was represented by C. T. Purdy and Dr. G. Ravay of New York; J. H. Miles of Philadelphia and H. J. Wille of Pittsburg. Mr. Carnegie in his farewell speech said he appreciated the honor of being the first American president of the institute and introduced his successor, R. A. Hadfield, the vice-president of the institute.

Mr. Carnegie announced his subscription of $25,000 to the research fund as a parting gift to the institute.

H. C. Boynton of Cambridge, Mass., was awarded the Carnegie scholarship of $300.

The meeting will be continued tomorrow.

POSTMASTER NAMED.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Kendrick F. Marshall was today appointed postmaster at Port Clyde, Me.

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5-lb. Pails Pure Lard 45c
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Best Cape Cod Cranberries 5c qt.
Strictly Fresh Eggs 20c doz.
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10c can Hudson's Potash 6c Can
2-lb. Can Best Peas 6c Can
Choice Oredo Blackberries 6c Can
3 lb. Can Squash (any brand) 6c Can
2 lb. Cans Red Kidney Beans 6c Can
3 lb. can Best Baked Beans 6c
Easter Dishes of Mustard 6c

Choice Pure Extracts

Vanilla 6c
Lemon 6c
Jamaica Ginger 6c
Wintergreen, 6c

Fancy Staples

Best Large Flake Rice 6c
10c pkg. Macaroni, Blue Cross Brand 6c
Best Mince Meat 6c Pkg.
Boneless Codfish 6c lb.
Quart Bottle Best Ammonia 6c
Best New York State Hand Screened Pea Beans 6c Qt.
Best Corn Starch 5c pkg; 6 for 25c
Last Year's Dried Apples 5c Pkg. 6 for 25c
Any of Standard Laundry Starch Put up expressly for me, 1 lb. boxes, 6c Box
1 lb. pkg. Seedless Raisins, choice of any of Standard Brands 6c Pkg
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1-4 lb. Carton Cloves 6c
1-4 lb. Carton Af. Ginger 6c
1-4 lb. Carton Allspice 6c
1-4 lb. " Black & White Pepper 6c
Stickney & Poor's
1-4 lb. Carton Cream Tartar 6c
10c can Dry Mustard 6c
Choice Stickney & Poor's or Slade's
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PRES. ROOSEVELT

Meets the Striking Teamsters at Chicago

Heard Their Protest and the Fiery Words Quoted From Gen. Butler—His Reply Made Clear His Readiness to Enforce the Law if Called Upon by the Governor of the State—The Threat Embodied in Union Protest Firmly Met

CHICAGO, May 11.—Preside Roosevelt gave the strike leaders a ce of his mind yesterday, and now they feel as if they had been fumbling with a hornets' nest.

It all came about through lack of diplomacy on the part of the labor men.

In their communication to the president on the strike issue they attacked the army, quoted Ben Butler on the army and did unfortunate things which aroused the resentment of the president. It is said that after reading the communication he could hardly control himself. He hurled at Shea of the teamsters and Dold of the federation a bitter denunciation of mobs and violence.

He plainly told them that if he was called upon to act the streets of Chicago would be as peaceful as a cemetery.

"Mr. Shea," he said, "as you have in this communication brought up the fact, I want to say one word with all the emphasis in my power. In upholding law and order. In doing what he is able to suppress mob violence, Mayor Dunne has my hearty support. I am glad to be able to say this to you gentlemen before I say it to any other body. I know nothing of the facts or the rights or wrongs of this issue.

WHAT I HAVE TO SAY IS BASED ON THE UNFORTUNATE PHRASING OF YOUR COMMUNICATION PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. I HAVE NOT BEEN CALLED ON TO INTERFERE, BUT DON'T MISTAKE MY ATTITUDE. MAYOR DUNNE HAS MY HEARTY SUPPORT AS PRESIDENT IN EVERY EFFORT TO SUPPRESS RIOTING AND VIOLENCE."

Mr. Shea explained that the union men were peaceful.

"I am a believer in unions," replied the president. "I am an honorary member of the union. But the union must obey the law, just as corporations must obey the law, just as the rich and poor must obey the law. As yet no action has been called for by me, and most certainly if action is called for by me, I shall try to do justice under the law to every man so far as I have power, but the first essential is the preservation of law and order."

PLAIN WORDS FROM PRESIDENT.

The committee of labor men was granted an audience late yesterday afternoon. The committee consisted of Cornelius Shea, president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters; Charles Dold, president of the Chicago Federation of Labor; Joseph O'Neil, vice president of the Chicago Federation of Labor; T. P. Quinn, a member of the Canvassers' union, and T. Rickert, president of the Garment Workers' International union. The members of the committee, President Roosevelt and Secretary Loeb were the only persons at the conference.

The following account of what passed in the room was given out by Secretary Loeb:

"After presenting the protest to the president, Mr. Shea, acting as spokesman, said:

"'We are here as a committee to present to you a statement, stating our position in this controversy between the employers' association and the teamsters' association. We have understood that they had asked your aid for bringing troops to Chicago. We want to present our position to you.'

"Mr. Quinn said: 'It will take about 15 minutes; perhaps we had better leave it with you.'

"The president said that he would read it at once, and after doing so he spoke as told above, concluding: 'Now, gentlemen, it has been a great pleasure to see you and I am glad to have had the chance to say this to you.'

MR. QUINN EXPLAINS.

"Mr. Quinn, who knew the president in his youth, said: 'Mr. President, what prompted us to come to you with this statement is that for the last two or three weeks there has been a continual howl for the federal army. I have known you long enough to know that you would not respond to a one-sided demand, that you will not respond until you have thoroughly investigated the case.'

"The president replied: 'Mr. Quinn, as yet the mayor of Chicago has not made any appeal to the governor, and therefore, of course, the governor has made none to me; and, as yet, nothing in the situation has demanded action by me.'

"President Shea of the Teamsters' union then said: 'Let me explain that. The governor has been requested by a committee of the employers to demand federal troops; the statement has been made in the papers. I immediately telegraphed Gov. Dineen that we would allow him to appoint a commission. Regardless of that,—I want to make our position known to you in regard to mob violence. Every time a mob congregated, every act of violence performed by either a union man or sympathizer reacts to our detriment. I believe that we are skilled workmen enough in our particular craft to demonstrate to our business men of Chicago that it is to their interest to employ us. There is nothing at stake but the re-employment of citizens of Chicago who have been forced out of their positions. Acts of violence meet with the condemnation of the officials, both local and national, of our organization. Violence does not meet with the sympathies of our organization. I simply want to say that we want to be fair, to preserve the business interests of Chicago, realizing that the prosperity of our employers is our prosperity.'

"The president replied: 'Mr. Shea, I can only repeat what I have said. I am a believer in unions. I am honorary member of one union. But the union must obey the law just as the corporation must obey the law, just as every man, rich or poor, must obey the law. As yet, no action has been called for by me, and most certainly if action is called for I shall try to do justice under the law to every man so far as I have the power. But the first essential is the preservation of law and order, the suppression of violence by mobs or individuals.'"

This closed the interview and the committee withdrew.

MORE VIOLENCE.

It was generally understood by both sides to strike that there would be no disturbance while President Roosevelt was in the city. Notwithstanding this tacit agreement, there were a number of outbreaks, one of them taking place in Michigan avenue, a short time after President Roosevelt had passed the spot. In this riot a number of men were cut and shot. The injured were Joseph Stewart, colored, shot in the right leg; John Highlow, colored, stabbed in the face and hands, and Edward Hubbard, colored, cut in the right cheek.

The fight began when five union teamsters recognized Stewart as a non-union driver. They rushed at him and he ran for non-union headquarters. He tripped and fell just as he entered the door and called for help. A score of his comrades appeared and a fight followed. One of the five union men drew a revolver and fired, striking Stewart in the leg. The other two negroes were hurt during the scrimmage. The union teamsters were compelled to run.

George S. Pierce, a union teamster, was shot and killed last night by George T. Waldron, a deputy sheriff who was guarding a Wells-Fargo express wagon. Pierce was passing Clark and 17th streets when the express wagon, under guard of several deputies, among whom was Waldorn, came down Clark street. Waldorn was formerly a member of the teamsters' union, and Pierce taunted him with his change in employment. Angered by the language of Pierce, Waldorn drew a revolver and fired one shot, the bullet striking Pierce just above the heart. Waldorn was arrested.

The employers sent out more wagons yesterday with fewer guards than at any previous time since the strike began. The employers' association is steadily increasing the force of non-union men, and last night it was said 2000 men were ready to take charge of the wagons.

During the luncheon given by the Merchants' club yesterday afternoon, Mayor Dunne told the president that the most alarming stage of the strike had passed and that the police had control of the situation.

THE PROTEST

TEXT OF STATEMENT MADE BY LABOR LEADERS.

CHICAGO, May 11.—Following is the protest against sending federal troops to Chicago on account of the teamsters' strike, presented to President Roosevelt by Pres. Shea of the International teamsters' union and other labor leaders.

To the Honorable Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States of America:

Hon. Sir: This labor difficulty began as a lockout. So far as there has been any striking done, it has been a strike for arbitration. The unions involved are committed both upon principle and by specific contract with the employers for arbitration.

These contracts grew out of the desire of the unions to protect the public peace and welfare by providing they submit all disputes or differences of opinion to the umpirage of an impartial third party, and accepting that decision—right or wrong—as binding upon both parties. Such a course is a guarantee of the preservation of law and order. All that the unions ask for or desire in this controversy is that an arbitration shall be granted as specifically agreed to in the contracts involved. All that is desired is that the public officials shall join with the labor bodies in demanding that lawlessness shall not be allowed to be used in forcing contracts to be broken, and that violence shall not be allowed to prevent differences of opinion to be settled by the quiet, orderly method of arbitration.

The contracts of June 26, 1903, provide for arbitration in the sixth, fourteenth and eighth sections respectively and we have the written right to demand arbitration—a demand that has been repeatedly spurned by the employers in the presence of Mayor Dunne of Chicago.

And why spurned? Because they openly boast that they can spurn it, and that the troops under your command will shoot down him who dares to openly protest against their action. They flatter themselves that the federal army is their ready tool to act upon their suggestion—right or wrong—and they therefore refuse to have any inquiry made as to whether they are right or wrong.

They can now say, "There is nothing to arbitrate," but if a board should find there was something to arbitrate, public sympathy might be too strong for them and they might not be able to "crush out unionism once and for all, as they openly declare they intend to do. But can they do it?"

Is the army all that these men think it is? Is it not a fact after all, that the power of the army even rests to a great extent upon the support of the people? What would a few solditeries be against a nation? Without intending to be discourteous or suggesting a threat, we desire to call attention to a clear and true statement of this fact by Gen. Benj. F. Butler of Massachusetts, in his celebrated speech of some 60 years ago to the people of Lowell:

GEN. BUTLER QUOTED.

"If the workingmen can be deprived of their freedom and their rights by threats of starvation of themselves and their wives and children, when they act according to the laws and their own judgment, then they had better be slaves indeed, having kind masters, instead of being free men who are only at liberty to do what their task masters impose upon them, or starve. And this question must be settled here and now.

"I know the power of these corporations; I know many of the men who have been in charge. They have made a mistake in appeal to force. When that weapon is tried they are weak and you are strong. They have their mills and machinery, their bricks and their mortar, and that is the extent of their power. You are stronger than they. You have your right arms and your torches and by them we will blot out this accursed outrage.

"AS GOD LIVES AND I LIVE, BY THE LIVING JEHOVAH, IF ONE MAN IS DRIVEN FROM HIS EMPLOYMENT BY THESE MEN, I WILL LEAD YOU TO MAKE LOWELL WHAT IT WAS 25 YEARS AGO—A SHEEP PASTURE AND A FISHING PLACE; AND I WILL COMMENCE BY APPLYING THE TORCH TO MY OWN HOUSE. LET THEM COME ON. AS WE ARE NOT THE AGGRESSORS WE SEEK NOT THIS AWFUL CONTEST."

Peace rests not upon the militia or the army, but upon the patience and long suffering of the toiling mass. The army so far as it has any effect, is not to quiet but to disturb; it is not to terrorize, but to make the people meditate. They wonder what all this "bluffing" is for. Can a few soldiers scare the men who make armies and who compose the flower of American manhood? Are we serfs that we cringe at the mention of troops?

If the laboring men are wrong, the decision of an arbitrator without cannon or club will command the obedience of every toiler affected.

Even if we are right and the arbitrator decide against us, still we will bow to that decision. Then if the decision of one man unarmed and alone can exercise this vast power, what is the use of the sacrifice of lives, calling out armies and making an opera bouffe of government?

It is evident that a blunder has been made somewhere, somehow. Let us ascertain its source. Is it just or is it necessary to bring the U. S. army into Chicago in an effort to smother the cries of the toiler for arbitration?

Is it right or expedient to attempt to stifle the demand for the settlement of controversy by court procedure?

Is the purpose of the army to prevent the carrying out of written contracts that are open to all who care to read them? Can you, our honored president, afford to use the forces under your control to stifle labor's demand for peace and the methods of peace?

Why should our attempt to get and maintain peace be met by army and by war?

Every laboring man knows these facts. What will be the results upon the citizenship of this country if, when American citizens ask for court procedure and order, they are met by the bullet and the jail?

Is it not time to inquire as to the facts in the case?

We submit that labor is an essential of national life. And the sympathy and co-operation of the laborers in their life work is as essential as is the sympathy and co-operation of citizenship. Unity is a necessary fact of development and progress. Unionism can no more be destroyed in industrial life than can patriotism in political life. He is short sighted indeed who cannot see that the cause of one is the cause of all and that the destruction of one without protest is sooner or later the destruction of all.

The revolutionists well understood that a law directed at Massachusetts was in effect a law against South Carolina. Franklin's saying that "If we don't hang together, we will hang separately," has become a truism.

Shall that far sightedness that was praised in Massachusetts be condemned in Chicago? Or shall that principle of action that was praised yesterday be condemned today?

The thousands of unions springing up as trees of the forest answer no.

Unionism has come to stay. It is merely the systemization of an inherent law of human action.

It is therefore better to recognize this law and deal with it as such, and make us of a high trait of manhood of which it is the expression than to commit the folly of trying to crush it out, as George The Third tried to crush out the spirit of unity and independence in the colonies.

Let us not awake to this fact just after it is forever too late.

We therefore trust that you will allow a presentation of the facts of the case to you before you permit any abuse of federal power by complying with the request of the notorious law breakers of the land—the constant suppliants for governmental privileges. All that we are asking is that our voice be heard.

Respectfully submitted,

Committee appointed by the Chicago Federation of Labor to request a hearing before any action be taken by the federal president relating to the Chicago strike situation. (Signed).

C. P. SHEA, Pres. International Brotherhood of Teamsters.

CHARLES DOLD, Pres. Chicago Federation of Labor.

JOSEPH O'NEIL, Vice Pres. Chicago Federation of Labor.

T. P. QUINN, Canvassers Union.

T. RIGERT, Pres. Garment Workers International Union.

WINTER WHEAT

IS CERTAIN TO MAKE A GREAT SHOWING.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—The weather bureau yesterday gave out the following general summary of climate and crop conditions:

In California, generally throughout the central and southern Rocky Mountain districts, and in the Dakotas and Minnesota, the week ending May 8 was abnormally cool and moist. Freezing temperatures extended southward to the central portions of Arizona and New Mexico, with frost and snow in the central and northern Rocky Mountain regions and upper Missouri and Red river of the North valleys. In the Gulf States, the Central valleys, most of the Lake region and the Atlantic coast districts, excepting New England, the temperature was favorable but excessive rains hindered work over the northern portions of the central and west Gulf States, in the lower Ohio and central Mississippi valleys, in Minnesota and the Dakotas, and in the middle Rocky Mountain region.

Drought continues in New England and rain is needed in the Middle Atlantic States, portions of Kansas and on the north Pacific coast.

Heavy rains have prevented rapid progress with corn planting over a large part of Missouri, Illinois and Indiana, but elsewhere this work has advanced satisfactorily, planting having begun as far north as the southern portions of South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan. In the Southern States the general condition of the crop is reported as promising, but it is suffering for cultivation over a large part of the south Atlantic and east Gulf States and Texas.

Winter wheat is now heading as far north as the southern portions of Kansas and Missouri and in Kentucky. The general condition of this crop continues highly favorable in the States east of the Rocky Mountains, although some reports of injury by rust are received from Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory. On the Pacific coast winter wheat continues promising, although some unfavorable reports respecting lowland wheat are received from Oregon, and recent heavy rains and high winds caused lodging to some extent in California.

The weather conditions of the past week were not favorable for the completion of wheat seeding over the northern portions of North Dakota and Minnesota, and early spring wheat over the central portion of the spring wheat region and in Iowa is making only fair progress. In Nebraska and Colorado and on the north Pacific coast the condition of the crop is promising.

Much cotton remains to be planted in Arkansas, northern Mississippi, portions of Louisiana and in northern and central Texas, and planting is unfinished in the Carolinas, northern Georgia, Tennessee and Oklahoma. In central and northern Texas, a large area requires replanting and that up is not in very promising condition, having been damaged by rain. Good stands are reported from the central and eastern districts of the cotton belt, where the crop is making favorable progress, although needing cultivation in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pearson and Mrs. C. D. Hunckley, who have been spending the winter in Southern California, arrived home Wednesday.

A GREAT RECORD

Baum Has Crossed Atlantic 601 Times

NEW YORK, May 11. Radiant with stepping landing the North German Lloyd dock, Kaiser Wilhelm II., from Bremen, came gally into port yesterday afternoon. Some folks thought that it was the hundredth anniversary of the death of Schiller that inspired the jubilation of the flags, but it wasn't. Chief Engineer Carl Baum, who has traveled more miles afloat than any officer on any liner in the world, was being honored by his shipmates and his line on the completion of his 300th round trip across the Atlantic.

It was really the beginning of his 301st, as he sailed originally from Bremen, but odd numbers, although they may be lucky, do not look well in the form of incandescent bulbs over a cabin door. Chief Engineer Baum is modest, and probably would not have permitted the electrician to put up the numbers if he had caught him. It was done, however, on the chief's "watch below," and, as it was under orders of Capt. Hodgmann, the chief would have had to submit to it, anyhow.

It was forty years ago that Carl Baum went as an assistant engineer aboard one of the four single screw steamships that made up the North German Lloyd fleet. He had been graduated from a technical school and had spent several years in a machine shop. His first trip across the Atlantic was in the old, iron, fifteen day (when she was lucky) steamship Hansa built in Scotland. Since then the Germans have built their own ships, and now have the swiftest merchantmen on the seas.

He made thirty-one round trips in the Hansa and then went to the New York. Then he became chief engineer of the Neckar. He saw the power of the line's fleet gradually grow to 20 steel ships. After leaving the Neckar he took charge of the engine room of the Elba, in which he made eleven round trips. Then, successively, he was engineer of the Fulda, the Eider, the Trave, the Spree (his and the line's first twin screw), the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse and finally the Kaiser Wilhelm II.

He saw the record between ports cut down from fifteen to less than six days and the stokeholds of the liners made fit for human beings to work in without endangering their health. From burning a few hundred tons of coal on a voyage, he became accustomed to burning about 850 a day and generating a power that drove the ship, when the engines were doing their best, at a speed sometimes in excess of twenty-four knots.

Bremen is now only seven days away from New York, and the chief says when he gives his wife and family (seven girls and a boy) goodby, it seems to him as if he were just going across the Hoboken ferry to New York. In the old days he was sometimes nearly two months away from home.

Incidental to his trips between New York and Bremen he has made runs between China and Bremen, between New Orleans and his home port and between Havana and Bremen. He has traveled in all the forty years of his life about 2,346,532 miles. If he had been the engineer of an aerial line between the earth and the moon he would have made the round trip about five times. Never in his career has he had a single accident in his engine room. When he was in the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse at the Hoboken pier fire, with some help from tugs he ran the big ship out stream from the flame zone, scorching her sides somewhat.

Mr. Baum was born in Lamsdorf, Bavaria, 65 years ago. He is a fine specimen of a Teuton. His grizzled whiskers and still abundant gray hair were once blond. He is big chested and has a true seaman's voice that might be heard even above the roar of the Kaiser's mighty engines.

Letter to GEORGE H. WOOD, Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Sir: Lead-and-oil is not good paint; don't wear; the rule is, as everyone knows, repaint in three years.

Devoe lasts six, in the same way—allow wide margin in all such statements. What does it mean, to last? It means the same with both.

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Mr. J. J. Hall, Sheffield, Pa., painted two houses, lead-and-oil; took 49 gallons.

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Yours truly,

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PURE WATER

WESTERN KANSAS UNDERLAID WITH QUANTITIES OF IT.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—A few years ago our Geological Survey discovered that a large part of the high plain of western Kansas is underlaid with vast quantities of sweet, pure water. This is the very region where thousands of farmers settled about 25 years ago, attracted by the fact that for two or three years the rainfall had been sufficient to grow crops. They were ruined by successive droughts, for a good crop year comes only once in four or five seasons.

They pulled up stakes and went back East. The crumbling heaps of their sod houses and the markings of the corn rows where they planted their last crop are still reminders of their ruined hopes. They little dreamed that there were quantities of water within easy reach and that the strong and steady winds would turn windmills, lift the water into irrigation ditches and transform the thirsty plain into a garden.

This water is from ten to two hundred feet below the surface, and investigation thus far seems to show that the quantity is practically unlimited. Mr. Haworth's report, printed by the survey eight years ago, said that the amount of ground water in the southwest part of the state seemed sufficient to meet any demands, even if manufacturing industries should arise to consume it. He said the greatest need of western Kansas was better methods of raising water and utilizing it.

This view has been confirmed by later studies. The soil of most of western Kansas is as rich as that of the wheat and corn fields that extend for 300 miles through the eastern part of the state. Rainfall seldom fails in those eastern fields; and it is believed that the underground supply will never fail the western fields that were abandoned by their despairing owners.

The conditions that Mr. Haworth found south of the Arkansas river in the southwest part of the state are now known to exist far to the north of the river, and much of the present development of irrigated farming lands is in Sherman, Thomas and other counties in the extreme northwest part of Kansas. Here settlers have been flocking with money to buy land, and real estate is having a boom.

Tracts of 160 acres that went begging at $100 a few years ago are now selling at $1,600. A party of Swedes from Minnesota last month paid $10 an acre for three sections, or 1,920 acres, of prairie. From the car windows scores of steam plows and mule teams are seen turning up the soil and getting ready for a wheat crop. Many little reservoirs have been sunk on the tops of the prairie undulations, and windmills are everywhere pumping from the wells into the reservoirs which feed the irrigation ditches. Many newcomers are living in sod houses, others are putting up substantial cottages and market towns are rising. This spring 13,000 fruit trees have been delivered at the towns of Colby and Goodman to be planted on the prairie of the northwest tier of counties. The intensive farming that irrigation always brings is supplanting the meager stock raising that followed the bitter failure of twenty-five years ago.

Will the water really hold out? Geologists think so and many believe that it may come all the way from the Rocky mountains along the impermeable cretaceous rocks that keep it up within reach and seem to slope ever eastward in that region. We know that the Arkansas draws the water in its channel from those same mountains. At any rate, the new farmers in the extreme western counties feel the stimulus of enthusiasm and confidence and believe they are going to keep Kansas in the van of the wheat states, a proud position she has occupied several times of late years.

ENJOYABLE SMOKE TALK.

A well attended smoke talk of the Citoyens Americains was held last night and interesting speeches on various political topics were given. Messrs. L. P. Tourette, Maxime Lepine, Ralph Lougee, George D. Jacques, Councilman Leon Marcotte, Napoleon C. Grandchamp, Philippe R. Bourque and Emery Cognac were among the speakers heard.

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Such miseries are daily decreasing.
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4—We have received the first and only lot to date this year of new English Boneless Fish shipped to this country. This fish was shipped direct to us from Nova Scotia and can be bought only at The Tarpon stores—no advance in price.

5—You will save money and improve your table by buying at The Tarpon.

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We will present a 30 lb. box of this fish to anyone who can duplicate it at any other store in this country.

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5.43, 6.22, 6.43, 7.40, 8.50, 9.22, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 1.25, 5.44 p.m.

Sundays, 8.43 a. m.

From Middlesex St.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.46	6.50	6.00	7.04
6.28	7.40	6.30	7.26
6.59	7.50	7.34	8.54
6.49	7.53	8.25	9.01
7.01	8.02	9.00	9.37
7.24	8.10	10.00	10.37
7.31	8.50	10.12	11.34
7.46	8.23	11.30	12.07
7.52	10.35	12.00	12.56
8.57	9.40	1.00	1.37
9.33	10.19	2.00	3.01
11.05	12.00	3.00	3.37
11.45	12.34	3.47	5.00
12.14	1.00	4.14	5.30
1.44	2.50	5.00	5.37
1.56	2.39	5.38	6.23
3.47	4.50	5.47	6.34
4.28	5.30	6.14	7.30
5.22	6.15	7.30	8.08
5.49	7.00	8.30	9.06
6.12	6.55	10.30	11.34
7.29	8.10	11.20	12.21

WESTERN DIV.

From Middlesex St.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.30	7.55	7.20	8.31
8.00	8.34	9.25	10.31
9.25	10.33	10.45	11.40
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.45
12.03	1.20	2.15	3.26
12.50	2.00	3.50	4.56
2.30	3.33	4.50	5.41
3.10	4.03	6.01	7.05
3.35	5.00	6.35	7.45
5.06	6.46	9.40	10.55
6.15	7.0[illegible]	11.[illegible]	12.13
7.00	8.00		
9.30	9.[illegible]		

* Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.15	11.25	8.00	9.13
12.10	1.20	12.00	1.00
3.35	4.50	5.05	6.25
5.32	6.53		
8.05	9.00		

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.39	7.50	9.00	10.00
7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.48	9.49	5.00	5.59
9.20	10.15	7.30	8.08
2.25	3.27	8.30	9.06
4.32	7.22	9.00	10.02

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STORE LOOTED

Boys Made a Break in Pawtucketville

The little variety store of William Romeor, 142 Sixth avenue, Pawtucketville, was broken into last night and money, candy and cigarettes stolen.

Entrance was effected by prying open a side door with a screwdriver or improvised jimmy. The police believe that the theft was committed by boys and Mr. Romer, who is an old man, complains that the boys of the neighborhood have made life miserable for him. They throw open his doors, pelt rocks into his store, hoot at him and in other ways annoy him.

SHOE SHOP FUND

PUTNAM & SON CO. SENT $50 TODAY.

A couple of welcome additions were made to the shoe shop fund since yesterday morning.

Rev. Fr. Ronan of St. Peter's church sent in $25 and this morning the following communication was received with a check for $50:

Lowell, Mass., May 10, 1905.

Hon. James B. Casey, Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Sir: Enclosed please find our check for $50 as a contribution to the fund for the purchase of a site for the Mawhinney Shoe company.

PUTNAM & SON CO.

The fund now stands as follows:

Previously reported	$4246
Rev. M. Ronan	25
Putnam & Son Co.	50
Total to date	$4321

LOWELL HOMING CLUB.

The Lowell Homing club had a trial fly from Shelburn Falls, Mass., on Saturday, May 6, and all members reported birds home in good time. On Saturday, May 13, the first race of the season will be flown from Williamstown, Mass., distance 100 miles, and prizes will be given to first and second birds home, also club diplomas and National Association diplomas. All members are requested to attend the meeting this evening at 7.30 at Mr. E. L. Seenyer's.

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RURAL MAIL

IT COST GOVERNMENT $12,000,000 LAST YEAR.

WASHINGTON, May 10—The net loss to the government of operating the rural mail routes of the United States in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1905, will be not less than $8,500,000, and probably several millions in excess of that amount. The minimum estimate of loss is obtained after allowing to the credit of the rural service every cent of revenue derived from mail sent by patrons of the routes and from mail received by them, but as a matter of fact, only a part of these receipts are due to the establishment of rural service.

It is impossible to tell what proportion of the rural mail business should be credited to the establishment of rural service, but it is estimated by competent authorities that the real loss for the fiscal year will be nearer $12,000,000 than $8,500,000.

The law raising the salaries of rural carriers is in effect in the present fiscal year. It increases the cost of service to $8 per month for each route, exclusive of the expenses of the field inspection service. It is the cost of rural mail facilities that prevents the financial waistcoat and pantaloons from meeting in the post office department. Without this endless and increasing expense the department would be self-sustaining.

HIDES THEFT

FAMILY COMES TO RESCUE OF YOUNG MAN.

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—At a family council gathered in a handsome residence in Spruce street, west of Broad, Charles Heidelberg, a private detective from New York, last night reported his unsuccessful effort to trace a young son of the family who, two months ago, disappeared with nearly $100,000 belonging to his parents.

Captain of Detectives Donaghy knew of the family loss and of Heidelberg's search for the missing boy, but from the first the members of the family have insisted that their loss is their own affair and they have never allowed a warrant to be issued in the case. The family is one of great wealth and social prominence, and the members, as soon as they learned of the robbery, decided to deal with the matter without invoking the law.

Soon after the loss of the money was discovered, a clue was found showing that the young man had gone to Europe. Heidelberg followed, and his vain search for the Philadelphian has covered a large part of the continent. Heidelberg arrived in New York yesterday afternoon and at once took a train for this city.

"There have been rumors concerning my mission abroad," he said, "and in the main they are correct. I have traveled throughout Europe for six weeks in search of a man who disappeared with a large sum of money belonging to his family. I have been working under the direction of the family lawyers and am sworn to preserve secrecy regarding the family and details of the loss."

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The Huntington-De Deyn Stock company are simply covering themselves with new glory this week in Belasco's great play, "The Wife." Not even in Boston have handsomer gowns been seen on any stage, and when one takes into consideration the size of the Casto stage, Mr. Huntington certainly works wonders with it. Many are the wishes expressed that our company could stay on here indefinitely as they have taken such a hold upon the hearts of our people that it will be hard to say good-by, but fortunately that is not for many weeks yet.

It is no surprise that the theatre is packed every night, and the remark "How can they do it for that money" has now become a byword.

A FINE TRIBUTE

To Memory of the Late City Auditor

Out of respect to the memory of the late city auditor, David Chase, the committee on investigation did not proceed to business last evening but voted unanimously to suspend, all business until after the body had been consigned to its last resting place.

Shortly after the meeting was called to order Alderman Cosgrove offered a motion for the suspension of business until after the obsequies. The motion was seconded by Councilman Morse. In presenting the motion Mr. Cosgrove said: "I realize that this committee has a great deal of work before it and we have but little time to lose, but as city officials we owe it to the memory of our late city auditor to suspend business until his remains are consigned to their last resting place. The business before us tonight can wait. In doing honor to the memory of David Chase we are paying tribute to the memory of one of the finest and noblest of men. Mr. Chase was a man honest in all his dealings, efficient as an official and broad and sympathetic as a citizen. He was not a man who lent a hand to party schemes. His actions were above board and it will be hard indeed to fill his place. A great deal must be required of the man who would be measured by David Chase's standard."

BASEBALL DANCE.

A well attended dance under the auspices of the Royal Arcanum Baseball association was held at Prescott hall last night and a general good time was had. The officers of the evening were: Manager, C. E. Edwards; assistant manager, E. S. Bowen; floor director, J. H. Paradis; assistant floor director, J. Shepard; aids, L. A. Hodgman, W. A. Hodgman, E. G. Richardson, Fred Conway, T. F. Russell, J. J. Campbell, W. B. Edgell and William Carll.

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Having purchased a place in Lawrence and as I am about to move there by the 1st of June, this is my only reason for offering to the public my cosy little home in No. Billerica, which consists of a ten room house, barn and about two acres of land, and I will offer the same on the day of sale on the premises, rain or shine to the highest bidder. The house consists of a parlor, sitting room, dining room, kitchen and a nice large pantry with well water in the same. There are four large and well lighted chambers on the second floor and there are two finished attics. The cellar is very dry and all cemented. The house I had built for myself and is in excellent repair inside and out. The barn will accommodate two horses and one cow and will store two or three carriages. The lot which consists of about two acres has an excellent garden, there are a large number of apple, pear and plum trees, currant bushes, shrubberies and two strawberry beds. There are also two or three hen houses on the premises. This is an ideal little home for someone who wants a little home with a garden and a place to keep hens. The property is located on Billerica avenue about 5 minutes' walk from the mills and electrics and within three minutes' walk from the steam cars.

Terms:—$200 to be paid to the auctioneer at time and place of sale, other terms will be made known at sale.

By order of JOHN LATHAM.

Saturday, May 13, 1905, at 4 o'clock

ABSOLUTE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, OF TWO LARGE BLOCKS OF 12 TENEMENTS; COTTAGE HOUSE OF SIX ROOMS; STABLE AND ABOUT 9390 SQUARE FEET OF LAND, AT NOS. 108 AND 114 CHAPEL STREET.

Having had placed in my charge this extensive tenement property, I will absolutely sell regardless of weather conditions, to the highest bidder, on Saturday, May 13, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, this vast estate in one parcel. It consists of two large blocks of six tenements each, they are three stories in height and have slated roofs. The tenements have five and six rooms each, with separate water closets and separate cellars. The cottage in the rear has six rooms; the stable has three stalls with the necessary carriage room, and a good loft. The rental received when the tenements were all rented was something over $1350 a year. There is a good passage way between the blocks which is all concreted as is also the yard, giving a good ground surface, to the cottage in the rear and the stable. The lot is all fenced in with a good, solid, substantial fence, and on the whole makes a very complete piece of real estate. While there are three or four tenements idle at the present time, there is no reason why, with the proper handling and a small amount expended in repairs that it should not be made to pay a steady rental of $1350 the year round. The lot is large, but you are not paying taxes on unoccupied land, it having the necessary room for the drying of clothes, etc. The rest being covered by buildings giving you the income. I am authorized to make an absolute sale of this property and undoubtedly the purchaser will receive a great trade.

TERMS: $750 must be paid to the auctioneer at time and place of sale; other terms made known at sale.

C. F. KEYES in charge.

Special at Keyes' Auction Saturday
At 11 o'clock

A VERY CLOSELY MATCHED PAIR OF BLACK HORSES, SIX AND EIGHT YEARS OLD, WEIGHT ABOUT 2200 POUNDS. THEY ARE THOROUGHLY BROKEN BOTH SINGLE AND DOUBLE AND BROKEN TO ALL CITY ODDITIES. BEEN USED IN STONEHAM FOR THE PAST YEAR. ALSO ONE BAY HORSE TEN YEARS OLD, WEIGHS ABOUT 1000 POUNDS, AND IS A VERY NICELY ROUND TURNED HORSE, IS AN EXCELLENT DRIVER AND CAN GO AT A THREE MINUTE GAIT.

Special Cut Price Sale of Best Groceries

M. O'KEEFFE 54 Middlesex St, Near Traders Bank
513 Merrimack St, Near Tremont St.
Telephone 1378-2

The Best Eastern Green Mountain Potatoes ..... 11c Peck
These are medium size and the best stock.

Armour's No. 1 Fancy Smoked Shoulders	7½c lb.
Best Salt Pork Ribs	8c lb.
Fancy Mixed Brisket Pork	9c lb.
O'Keeffe's Famous Darragh Flour	80c Bag
5 lb. pails Assorted Jelly	19c
Large Ripe Bananas	8c doz.
Very Best Tea (all flavors)	40c lb.
Very Best Pure Java and Mocha Coffee	25c lb.

Best Hand-Picked Pea Beans	7c qt.
Selected Yellow-Eye Beans	9c qt.
Best Canada Peas	6c qt.
3 lb. can Bartlett Pears	9c
3 lb. can Solid Packed Tomatoes	7c
Good American Sardines	4c can
Good Eggs (warranted)	18c doz.
Best Choice Red Salmon	12c can
Good Pink Salmon	9c can
Kennedy's Best Soda Crackers	5c lb.
Kennedy's Best Common Crackers	5c lb.
Kennedy's Lemon Crackers	5c lb.
Kennedy's Ginger Snaps	5c lb.
Kennedy's Nic Nac Crackers	5c lb.
Kennedy's Graham Crackers	10c lb.
Kennedy's Smyrna Fig Bars	10c lb.
Kennedy's Tea Biscuits	8c lb.
3 pkgs. Zu Zus	10c

All goods guaranteed. Prompt delivery to all parts of Lowell and vicinity.

THE BARGAIN SHOE STORE

Children's 25c Tan, Black and Patent Leather Lace Shoes in this Sale at 15c pr

NEW IDEA SHOE COMPANY
119 and 121 Merrimack Street, Lowell, Mass.

Boys' Youths' and Children's Best Quality Champion Sneaks. SALE PRICE 49c pr

Friday, May 12, We Start a GREAT SHOE SALE

Consisting of the $2000.00 STOCK OF F. DIONNE, NASHUA, N. H., which we shall place on sale at 60c ON THE DOLLAR. Also we shall place all the odds and ends from our own stock on sale far below cost.

SHOES AT BARGAIN PRICES JUST WHEN YOU WANT THEM

Misses' and Children's $1 Black, Tan and Patent Leather Oxfords, with heavy extension soles. Sizes 9 to 2. SALE PRICE 69c pr

Dionne's $1 Solid Leather Shoes and Oxfords, Black only. ON SALE 69c pr

Boys' and Youths' $1.25 and $1.50 Satin and Box Calf Shoes, with a good sole. Sizes 13 to 5 1-2. SALE PRICE 98c pr

A big lot of Men's $2.50 and $3.00 Patent Colt Skin, Velour Calf, Tan, Vici and Tan Calf Shoes and Oxfords. On sale at 1.98 pr

Children's 35 and 50c Tan and Black Wedge Heel and No Heel Shoes, sizes 3 to 7. SALE PRICE 25c pr

Ladies Kid and Patent Tip High Shoes with common sense, Cuban and Rubber Heels. Dionne's price, $1.75 and $2. ON SALE AT 1.39 pr

Boys' Heavy "No Rip" School Shoes. Regular price, $1.50 SALE PRICE 1.19 pr

All Men's $3.50 and $4.00 Shoes, marked down for this sale, At 2.69 pr

250 pr. of Children's Box Calf and Vici Kid Shoes, Oxfords and Sandals. Dionne's price 65 and 75c pr. Sizes 4 to 8. ON SALE AT 49c pr

All of Dionne's $2.50 and $3.00 Ladies' Shoes and Oxfords in Tan Calf, Patent Colt and Vici Kid. ON SALE AT 1.98 pr

500 pairs of a mixed lot of Little Gents' $1.00 and $1.25 Tan Calf and black Calf Shoes, sizes 8 to 13 1-2. On sale at 69c pr

Dionne's $1.50 Men's Heavy Sole Satin Calf Shoes. A good workingman's shoe. ON SALE AT 1.19 pr

HERE IS A GREAT TRADE FOR THE MEN

All of Dionne's $2.00 and $2.50 Shoes and Oxfords in Vici Kid, Box Calf, Enamel or Patent Colt Skin
Also Tan Calf Shoes and Oxfords ON SALE AT - - - - - - - - - $1.49 pr

THE WEATHER
The indications are that there will be fair weather tonight. Friday, partly cloudy to cloudy; light variable winds.

THE LOWELL SUN

6 O'CLOCK

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NIGHT EDITION

BREAK IN STRIKE

Hay Drivers Refused to Obey Union's Orders

CHICAGO, May 11.—A break in the ranks of the strikers today, is alleged to have occurred as a refusal of the hay and feed drivers to observe the boycott. Deliveries are being made by union drivers to all the "struck" firms.

The excuse is that humanity demands it. The feed drivers say they do not wish to see the horses starve to death. It is declared by others, however, that this excuse is merely a subterfuge. The union officials winked at the affair and said nothing.

A number of additional union teamsters were laid off today because they refused to make deliveries to firms against whom a strike exists.

It was reported today that the Union Traction company had arranged to burn oil instead of coal in furnishing power for street car cable lines.

Police protection was ordered sent today to the Hendrick public school in consequence of a "strike" of 700 pupils who refused to go to school because non-union drivers for the Peabody Coal company had taken coal to the building. Finally about half of the pupils decided to return. Some who refused said they heard rumors that the building was to be set on fire or blown up.

COPS ON PARADE

Both Night Shifts Did Stunts Today

"What a great opportunity for a man with a corn cure for sale," suggested a visitor to the police station, this afternoon, as he looked into the guard room where both night shifts were lined up for drill.

"Or a barrel of halfstock," facetiously remarked another in an undertone.

Supt. Moffatt is a disciplinarian from way back and he intends to have an up-to-date police force under him. He recently instituted weekly inspections and drills for the patrolmen and thus far they have been most successful. He started out by inspecting and drilling one shift at a time. But today both shifts were present, and as soon as the roll had been called they started off in column of fours up Market street to Palmer, thence to Merrimack and Kirk to the High school drill shed where they were put through a series of marching and club swinging evolutions for an hour. The men looked resplendent in their scrupulously clean uniforms, the brass buttons of which shone like the traditional "nigger's eye," for it's a part of the drill to have uniforms neat, and the unkempt police officer is a thing of the past in Lowell. The men take kindly to the new stunts for the additional work does not take much of their time while it serves to keep them in good condition.

319 DOGS

HAVE BEEN PUT TO DEATH UP TO DATE.

The gas box at the police station had for victims today four dogs and four cats, making a grand total of 319 dogs and 17 cats since the institution of the painless method of exterminating vagrant animals.

"The electric chair isn't in it for a minute with our painless gas box system," said Deputy Welch, this afternoon. "When Sheriff Kilburn, the lord high executioner has everything in readiness at the box, he drops his handkerchief and Assistant Sheriff Crowell, in the stable touches the stop-cock on the gas jet, the juice is turned on and the dark deed is done in an instant."

Ayer's
Hair Vigor. Better wear your own hair; not the kind you buy! But you are losing yours? Then be quick! Fasten tightly on your own head what is left, and get a new lot, too.
J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

The Very Best Butter 28c lb
We can not remind you too often, nor emphasize too strongly the fact that you cannot get better butter cut from the tub than we sell daily. Our price also is the lowest that can possibly be quoted for an equal grade.
Yerxa's Best Flour, 90c Bag; $7.00 Bbl.
Houlton Green Mountain Potatoes, 13c Peck; 50c Bush.
Best Granulated Sugar.....6½c Lb.
SEEDS
These are busy days with the gardners and farmers. We would again remind you that we have a full assortment of Garden, Field and Flower seeds of "Only the Best" quality. In sweet corn we have the following varieties: Extra Early Crosby, Early White Cory, Early Red Cory, Black Mexican, Stowell's Evergreen, Potter's Excelsior and Country Gentleman, also Early Yellow Canada, Evergreen Sweet Fodder and Leaming.
YERXA'S
Tel. 670-3. 223 Central St.

REV. A. E. KENYON

Lowell Minister Honored by Baptists

HAVERHILL, May 11—The annual convention of the Massachusetts Association of Free Baptist churches was opened yesterday in the Winter street church. The conference sermon was preached by the Rev. Ernest M. Holman of Melrose, his topic being "The Triumph of the Cross."

An invitation from the Amesbury church to hold the next conference there was referred to the general board of officers.

The president appointed these committees:

Resolutions—The Rev. J. S. Durkee, Boston; the Rev. W. A. Robbins, Chelsea; Mrs. F. O. Robinson, Cambridge.

Business—Dea. J. Hill, Melrose; the Rev. Isaac Pinkham, Mrs. M. O. Batchelder, Lowell.

Nominations—The Rev. Hibbert Lockhart, Mrs. Francis S. Mosher, Dea. J. W. Doe.

Special committee on statistical reports—The Rev. Ernest M. Holman, the Rev. A. E. Kenyon, Lowell.

The treasurer's report showed a balance on hand $86.31.

At the minister's conference these officers were elected:

President, Rev. A. E. Kenyon, Lowell; vice-president, the Rev. E. P. Moulton, Brockton; secretary and treasurer, the Rev. W. A. Robbins, Chelsea; auditor, the Rev. F. K. Chase, Somerville.

60 YEARS OLD

INSPECTOR GOODWIN OBSERVED HIS BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

Police Inspector Frank Goodwin, is observing his 60th birthday today and passed around the cigars in the police station, this afternoon. When asked how long he had been on the police force Frank smilingly replied: "About eight or 10 years, I guess."

MEHAN CASE

WAS GIVEN TO THE JURY THIS MORNING.

Arguments in the case of Mehan vs. Lowell Electric Light Corp. were finished at the superior civil session before Judge Bell at the court house this morning and the court charged the jury, the latter retiring at 10.30 o'clock.

At the conclusion of the Mehan case the case of Kelleher vs. Boston & Northern Street Railway Co. was resumed.

BILL PASSED

PROVIDES FOR A TAX ON LEGACIES.

BOSTON, May 11—The bill imposing a tax on legacies and succession, was passed to be engrossed today in the Massachusetts house. The vote was 136 to 67 by roll call.

FAVOR TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

BOSTON, May 11—Governor Douglas' inaugural suggestion for a commission to consider technical education in the different grades of industrial skill and responsibilities is favored by the legislative committee on ways and means.

KNIFE SLIPPED

FRANK FERRIS MET WITH PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

Frank Ferris, aged 18 years, and residing at 568 Lawrence street, while at work at the Bay State mills this morning, met with a painful accident. He was cutting a warp with a large knife when the knife slipped and entered his left forearm severing an artery.

He was taken to the Emergency hospital where two stitches were taken in the wound.

WANTED—Reliable man over thirty years to look after our business in Middlesex county. A good permanent position. C. R. Burr & Co., Nurserymen, Hartford, Conn.

400 LIVES LOST

Town of Synder, Okla., Swept by Tornado

GUTHRIE, OKLA. MAY 11—REPORTS RECEIVED HERE INDICATE THAT BETWEEN 300 AND 400 LIVES HAVE BEEN LOST IN THE PARTIAL DESTRUCTION OF THE TOWN OF SNYDER, OKLA., BY A TORNADO.

Relief trains have been sent to the scene from a number of neighboring towns. Details of the disaster cannot be learned until some of these trains return, all telegraphic and telephonic communication with the stricken town having been interrupted.

It is reported that bodies are scattered all over the streets and surrounding country. The storm struck the town from the southwest, travelling north until about 100 yards from the Oklahoma city and western railway track. Then it took a northeasterly course through the business portion of the town. North of the tracks not a building was left standing. The first relief train sent from Hobart has arrived on the scene.

Snyder is a town of about 2500 inhabitants in Kiowa county, Oklahoma, in the Kiowa and Comanche Indian county opened to white settlement in 1901. The town was laid out largely by the St. Louis and San Francisco railway at the junction of two of its lines and the company erected important buildings there. Snyder is the division point for the Quanah division of the road. The town was named for Bryan Snyder, passenger traffic manager of the system.

The first news of the storm was received about midnight. Soon thereafter, before any details had been received, telegraph and telephone wires went down.

Immediately relief trains were ordered out from all available points, starting from Hobart, Chickasha, I. T., Guthrie, Oklahoma City and other towns. Every train carried doctors, nurses and any person capable of rendering aid.

The first relief train, sent from Hobart, 32 miles north of Snyder, reached the stricken town just before daylight. Everyone on board began at once the work of relief.

On every hand they found the wreckage and streets almost obliterated by piles of demolished houses. In all directions evidence of the terrible havoc of the storm was apparent. The dead and dying lay about the streets, in yards and mixed up with the wreckage while those who had escaped ran about in excited attempts to bring order out of the terrible chaos, and to give what aid they might.

The storm was not confined to Snyder. On the way to the boom town, dead and injured were passed in plain sight of the relief trains, but these were passed by in the effort of the rescuers to reach Snyder, where there was greater need of their services.

The first man to reach Snyder and return to a telegraph point was the station agent at Mountain Park, a neighboring town. He had walked into Snyder, reaching there at daylight, and after taking a hasty view of the situation and without gathering any exact details of the storm's effects, returned to Mountain Park.

This man reported the town partially destroyed and asserted that the list of dead would reach somewhere between 300 and 400. The injured, he said, were to be seen everywhere, and their number undoubtedly will reach into the hundreds.

While the tornado seems to have been widespread, rumors that other towns in southwestern Oklahoma had been destroyed, were declared by telephone exchanges to be incorrect. However, there was no question that much damage to property and loss to life had occurred in the outlying districts.

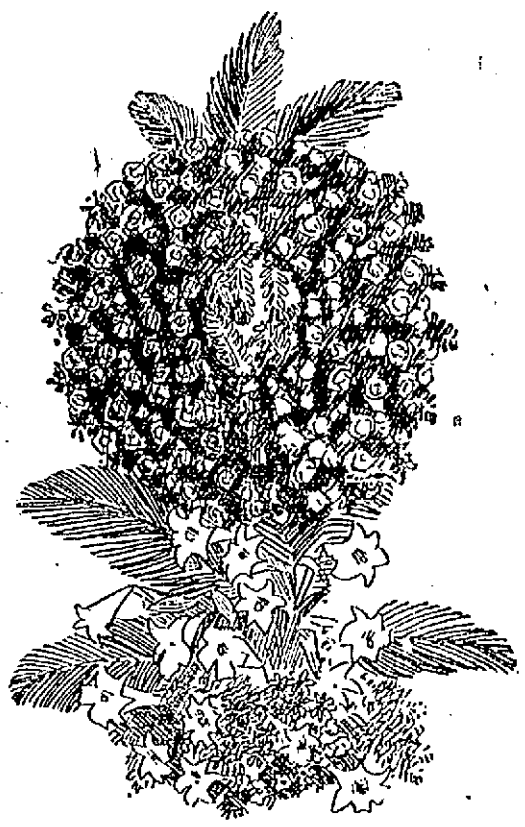
The same tornado struck Quinlan, in Woodward county, on the Santa Fe railway, destroying several houses and at that point at least three persons, Mrs. Cox and her two sons, are known to have been killed.

The tornado struck Snyder from the southwest, traveling north until within about 100 yards from the tracks of the Oklahoma City & Western railway. There it took a northeasterly course to the east portion of the town. North of the track, not a building was left standing. Coming as it did while most of the inhabitants of Snyder were asleep, but few had any warning of danger.

LOWELL WOMAN

WAS A RESIDENT OF TOWN OF SNYDER.

Great fear is entertained for the safety of a Lowell woman who has lived for the last two years in the town of Snyder, Okla., that was visited by a tornado of terrible destruction last night. The woman's father, Levi F. Warren lives at 75 Durant street, this city. He is an engraver in the employ of the Merrimack Manufacturing company. Mr. Warren has not received any word from Snyder but that is not surprising in view of the fact that the tornado put the telegraph lines out of commission.



FLORAL TRIBUTE TO THE LATE CITY AUDITOR CHASE L. ... ASSOCIATES AT CITY HALL.

DAVID CHASE

The Late and Lamented City Auditor

WAS BURIED THIS AFTERNOON

Services Were Very Impressive

The funeral of late City Auditor, Mr. David Chase, took place this afternoon At the home, 22 Fourth street at one o'clock prayers were said by Rev. C. E. Fisher of the First Universalist church. Besides the mayor and the delegations from the city council all offices at city hall were represented. City hall closed at noon as a mark of respect to the deceased. The floral tributes were many and beautiful, significant of the love and respect entertained for the deceased.

The bearers were Charles J. Morse and Charles A. Parker, representing Lowell Encampment No. 17, of Odd Fellows; Charles C. Thompson and George W. Hartwell representing Mechanics lodge, No. 11, Odd Fellows; City Engineer, George Bowers and City Messenger Joseph Pattee.

The following delegation was from Lowell Encampment and the first four named acted as guards of honor, walking beside the hearse from the house to the church and standing guard in the church: Frank H. Gunther, J. W., George H. Frye, George A. Willey, Wyllis D. Fletcher, A. J. Leithead, S. A. McPhetres, C. P., and Fred A. Bassel, S. W.

The delegation from city hall consisted of Mayor Casey, Chairman Grant of the board of aldermen, President Dodge of the common council, Aldermen Carmichael and Braden, Councilmen Marcotte, White and Cronan and Clerk Dowling.

In the delegation from Mechanics lodge of Odd Fellows were Herbert C. Riddick, N. G., John J. Preston, V. G., James E. White, chaplain. The latter read the ritual service at the grave.

Included in the profusion of floral tributes and conspicuous because of its size and beauty, was a monster standing wreath on base. The piece was six feet in height and the wreath was of jacquinot and bridemaid roses. The base was studded with lilies and marguerites and the whole was surmounted with a crown of arching palms. It was the offering of the associates of the deceased at city hall. Other floral pieces included a pillow inscribed "My Hubby Dear," from wife of the deceased; wreath inscribed "Uncle," from Mr. and Mrs. Lesparance; pillow from Mechanic lodge, No. 11; pillow inscribed "Friend," Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Leary and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson; spray of sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Day; spray carnations, Mrs. Edwards and daughter; sheaf of wheat, Mr. and Mrs. George Schofield; star on base, Evening Star Rebekah lodge; closed book on table from Clinton P. Tuttle and James T. Dunfey, clerks in the auditor's office.

The pastor's prayer at the house included words of consolation for the sorrowing widow, relatives and friends. From the house the cortege proceeded to the First Universalist church in Hurd street. The delegations from the encampments were in uniform and stood in single file and at rest as the body was borne from the house to the hearse.

The services at the church were very impressive and the pastor, Rev. C. E. Fisher, spoke eloquently of the sterling worth and noble character of the man whose body was about to be consigned to earth. The choir sang, "Some day we will Understand," and "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

In speaking of the sad occasion that called a sorrowing crowd together, Mr. Fisher said: "I need not say it is a common sorrow that has brought us here today. One of my best friends and one of your best friends has been called from this earthly life. For ten years it was my privilege to know him and it is not necessary for me to tell you that I loved him; and, my friends, our consolation rests in the fact that he is not dead but living, living in the house of many mansions. He has gone first, just a little time before. My own heart is filled with sorrow and I can see genuine grief written on the faces round about me. But my dear friends we must look beyond the parting, for the reunion where friendships are recemented. It is the bright and joyful anticipation of the reunion that makes our sorrows lighter.

"It is but the passing through the valley of tears to the isle of sunshine. We should rejoice that we had David Chase with us for more than the allotted three score years and ten. He was a great man, and his greatness appealed to you and to me. We liked his warm greeting and his comforting message cheered us along. His whole life was filled with kind acts, and I used to love to look upon him as a gentleman of the old school. His sturdy form and genial countenance will be missed in the street, at city hall and we shall miss him here in this church, but I repeat that David Chase is not dead but living in another and a better world." Prayers were said, the choir sang another selection and the body was borne from the church. Interment was in the Lowell cemetery in charge of C. M. Young. Arthur F. Salmon had charge of the funeral arrangements.

FOR SALE—8 acre farm, best of land, good house, barn and hen house, $1100. Bruce, 98 Central st.

EXTRA

FOREST FIRES

Threatened to Destroy Houses in Steadman Street

A lively brush and wood fire broke out in the pine woods off Steadman street early this afternoon, and before extinguished burned over a considerable number of acres of land and threatened the destruction of several houses.

The fire started in low brush off Steadman street and then continued towards Staples street and over into a heavy pine woods. A house and barn located near Mt. Pleasant spring were in danger at one time, though the fire department laid a line of hose from Westford street and succeeded in saving the property that was in danger.

Early in the afternoon word was telephoned to the police station that there was a dangerous fire in progress but before the word could be sent to the central fire station an alarm from box 185, located at the junction of Pine and Westford streets, was pulled in, though the box is located almost two miles from the scene of the fire.

The fire department had a long run to the scene of the fire, but after arriving there did effective work.

A LIGHT DOCKET

Before Judge Hadley This Morning

The police court session was light, this morning.

There were five drunks, with one released and three fined.

A young man on the charge of drunkenness was sentenced to the Massachusetts Reformatory and then the sentence was suspended to give an opportunity to reform.

John Smith, alias Harry Hodge was in court for transgressing the laws of decency while intoxicated and he was fined $15.

George Marshall, found guilty of vagrancy was sent to the state farm. He was accompanied "South" by William L. Ferris. The latter is the man who stole a cow belonging to his father, last summer. The elder Ferris did not care to press a charge of larceny against his son and Ferris accordingly was sentenced only for drunkenness.

John Lawrencesson, James Gallagher, John McDermott and Walter Merrill, four of the party of boys who stole tonic from a store in Charles street a few evenings ago were in for larceny, this making eight in all who have been arrested in the case and they were continued until tomorrow's juvenile session.

SPOTTED FEVER

There have been three deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis in Lowell within the last 24 hours. The victims were Rose Geary, aged 8 years, 15 Bassett street; Maryetta Campbell, aged 17, 3 Morans' yard, off Lakeview avenue, and Mary Daly, aged 5 years, who died this morning at the home of her parents, 0 Auburn street.

One new case of the disease was reported at the office of the board of health last evening. The victim is Harlandos Laynnis of 18 Fenwick street. He was sent to the hospital.

Out of a total of 65 cases 35 have proved fatal.

No new small-pox cases were reported today.

FOREST FIRE

IN DRACUT, PUT OUT BY LOCAL CHEMICAL.

Chief Hosmer today sent the chemical from Palmer street to extinguish a fire in the woods near the old Emery barn on land belonging to Mrs. Rand. A considerable area of wood was burned over and houses were threatened when the chemical arrived and extinguished the flames.

A forest fire that has been sending up volumes of smoke has been burning for the last two days up the river west of the Mammoth road, probably in Tyngsboro.

CITY AUDITOR

MANY APPLICANTS FOR THE POSITION.

The list of candidates for the position of city auditor, made vacant by the death of David Chase, up to date, is as follows:

Clinton Tuttle, now employed as clerk in the auditors' office; ex-Alderman Charles D. Page, Z. Winn Sturtevant, Virgil G. Barnard, ex-Alderman William Brown, Frank Hall, who was private secretary to the late Mayor Bennett; A. M. Huntoon, shoe dealer; Charles Hartwell, John G. Marshall, ex-paymaster of the Boott mills; Henry McAlvin, now in the water works department; Edward J. Richardson, bookkeeper, and John W. Stott, accountant.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Claude F. Garland and Miss Elizabeth E. Jewett, both of this city, were united in marriage last night at 8.30 o'clock by Rev. George F. Kenngott, at his home, 296 Liberty street. After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Garland will reside at 201 Wilder street.

GOT $6270

VERDICT AGAINST N. E. TELEPHONE COMPANY.

BOSTON, May 11.—A verdict of $6270 in favor of Elmer Evans, against the New England Telephone & Telegraph company, for personal injuries, was returned by the jury in the second session of the superior court before Judge Richardson yesterday. Evans was struck by the falling limb of a tree which had been cut off by employes of the company, on Alford street, Charlestown, Jan. 27, 1903. He sued for $30,000.

TRUANT ARRESTED

WAS "BUNKING OUT" IN MIDDLESEX STREET.

John Kelly, aged 14 years, was arrested about one o'clock by Officer Dooley, from a doorway in Middlesex street where he was "bunking out," on a warrant charging him with truancy. The warrant was issued three weeks ago but the police were unable to locate him until this morning.

FOR SALE—A good family cow, 3-years old, hitch out anywhere. 402 Chelmsford st.

WANTED—A house girl at A. M. Shepherd's, 16 Elliot st.

LOST—A physician's bag with instruments and supplies. The finder will be rewarded by returning to 44 Columbus avenue.

FOR SALE—New 6-room cottage and stable on line of electrics, 6000 sq. ft. $850. Bruce, 98 Central st.

FOR SALE—Store must be sold this week, worth $500. $300 takes it. Greene, 98 Central st.

FOR SALE—30 can milk route, $320. Greene, 98 Central st.

FOR SALE—3 tenement block, rents $18. If taken at once, $1350. Here is a snap. Bruce, 98 Central st.

WANTED—A man between the ages of 25 and 45. Inquire at Room 34 Hildreth Bldg.

FOUND—A sum of money on Andrews st. Owner can have same by calling at 86 Andrews st. and paying for this adv.

Ruptured
If you are one of the many ruptured, don't fail to come and see the celebrated Bunker Truss that has cured so many cases that were given up as incurable.
Yes, we have cured many that have heretofore been considered incurable. Why? Because we know that we have the only Truss that works with the body, and performs those functions without exerting any uncomfortable pressure on the back and spine and gives you a direct pressure onto the rupture.
Come in and see this Truss which will be explained to you by the expert who is in attendance.
Consultation and examination free at
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217 Central St.

NOTICE
For your eyes and glasses consult us today and tomorrow. Glasses furnished at greatly reduced prices. Glasses that fit perfectly—that's our reputation. Caswell Optical Co., 27 Bridge st. Ground floor.

Washington Savings Institution
267 Central St.
Banking Rooms Over Lowell Trust Co.
Money Deposited on or Before
NEXT SATURDAY
May 13th
Will Draw Interest From That Date

6 O'CLOCK

FEARFUL DISASTER

Express Train Wrecked--20 Killed and 68 Injured

Catastrophe on Pennsylvania R.R—Cars Burned and Frightful Scenes Enacted — Hospitals Crowded With the Wounded--Dead Mangled and Burned—Property Loss $300,000

PHILADELPHIA, MAY 11.—INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM HARRISBURG UP TO 11.30 A.M. AT THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD GENERAL OFFICES IN THIS CITY BY CHARLES M. SHAEFFER, SUPERINTENDENT OF PASSENGER TRANSPORTATION IS THAT 20 PERSONS WERE KILLED AND FROM 63 TO 68 INJURED IN THIS MORNING'S WRECK. ELEVEN BODIES WERE RECOVERED FROM UNDER ONE SLEEPING CAR BUT THEY WERE SO BADLY CHARRED AS TO BE UNRECOGNIZABLE. THE TRAIN CONTAINED 102 PASSENGERS AND A TRAIN CREW OF 15. AMONG THE MISSING IS W. H. LEWIS OF PHILADELPHIA, A PULLMAN CONDUCTOR, WHO IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED.

ACCOUNT OF THE WRECK.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 11.—From 17 to 30 persons were killed and more than 100 others injured in a collision on the Pennsylvania railroad south of Harrisburg, a few minutes before 2 o'clock this morning, caused by the second section of the Cleveland and Cincinnati express, west bound, crashing into a wrecked freight train.

The dead who have been identified are:

MRS. ROBERT DAUGHERTY, Philadelphia.

HARRY K. THOMAS, Philadelphia, engineer of the passenger train.

JACOB SILVERMAN, Bridgeton, N. J., is also believed to have been killed. There are at least two bodies under the wreck.

Among the injured were Mr. and Mrs. Tindell, the latter a daughter of U. S. Senator Knox, who were on their way to Pittsburg from New York. They were able to walk to Steelton, where Mr. Tindel telephoned to Governor Pennypacker. The governor sent his private secretary to bring them to the executive mansion where they were given medical attention and clothing.

The Harrisburg hospital is crowded with the most seriously injured. Others of the injured are at the hotels and will be able to resume their journey during the day. The railroad company is doing everything possible for the relief of the injured, many of whom escaped from the wreck in their night clothes and lost all their clothing and other belongings.

The passenger train of nine cars and locomotive was wrecked.

CAUSE OF WRECK.

The wreck was caused by a smaller wreck to the freight rain, which was east bound. Passing the plant of the Paxtang Electric company, near Cedar street, an air hose burst and several cars in the middle of the train buckled up and fell across the passenger tracks at the side.

Almost at the same moment the express train, with ten coaches, dashed along and plunged into the wrecked freight cars. The boiler of the passenger locomotive blew up and the concussion caused the immediate explosion of two cars of dynamite in the freight train.

The force of the collision crushed all of the passenger cars, which piled up in a huge mass with those of the freight. Instantly the two cars were masses of flames. With the crash the passengers, all of whom were asleep in their berths, were hurled in all directions. Many were tossed free of the wreckage, some down the railroad embankment, some into the Susquehanna river, which parallels the railroad in that locality. All who were not pinned in the debris or totally incapable, ran away from the perfect volcano, intermingled with small explosions. It was impossible at the time for those who escaped uninjured to reach the imprisoned passengers, whose cries rent the air for blocks.

SENATOR'S DAUGHTER INJURED.

Among the passengers were many of prominence. Mr. and Mrs. Tindell, the latter a daughter of Senator Knox, were among those reported injured at an early hour this morning.

Mrs. Albert J. Barr and two daughters family of the editor of the Pittsburg Post, were among those slightly injured and were taken to the Harrisburg hospital. Their condition is not critical. Mrs. Barr personally asked the newspaper men to make this statement.

Early this morning, persons who escaped from the wreck began flocking to the newspaper offices to ask that it be published that they escaped injury, so that their friends might be relieved of anxiety. Among those was Charles W. Stanglen, supreme chief of the Brotherhood of Car Inspectors, Car Builders and Railroad Mechanics of America. His home is in Baltimore.

Samuel Shubert of New York, manager of the Lyric Theatre jumped out of his berth and ran out of the train just in time to escape being burned to death. He was taken to the Commonwealth hotel.

FIRST BODIES RECOVERED.

At 4.30 o'clock this morning, the first two bodies of those who were pinned in the wreckage were recovered. They were so badly charred that they could not be recognized, but it is believed they were women.

While the fire was stil raging fiercely, the burning bodies of the dead could be seen still lying in the berths. The entire passenger train of nine cars and the engine was destroyed. Nine freigth cars were also destroyed and three others derailed and wrecked.

The passenger train of which not a valuable square foot was left, had consisted of one locomotive torn to pieces when the explosion occurred, six Pullman sleeping coaches, two baggage cars, one mail coach and one engine tender.

DYNAMITE EXPLODED.

The first explosion heard was that of the boiler of the passenger locomotive. This was followed by a most terrific noise when the dynamite car went up. The car was No. 71,333 of the Erie R. R. and had a cargo of five thousand pounds of dynamite.

Despite the harrowing occurrence, there were early on the scene undetected, many negroes and foreigners searching for loot.

The heat was so intense and the crowd of reputable people so great that it is believed they secured little of value.

TWENTY DEAD

LATEST REPORTS OF THE WRECK.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 11.—Twenty persons are believed to have been killed and approximately 100 injured by the wrecking of the Cleveland and Cincinnati express west-bound, on the Pennsylvania railroad which dashed into a wrecked east-bound freight train, exploding a car filled with 50,000 pounds of blasting powder. The wreck occurred in the southern part of Harrisburg at 1.40 o'clock this morning. It was one of the most horrible disasters ever experienced by the Pennsylvania railroad on its main line. Several hours will elapse before the exact number of dead and injured will be known. Twelve of the dead are at the morgue and other bodies are being brought to the dead house as quickly as they are located.

There are about 70 injured persons in the Harrisburg hospital, hotels and private residences, while others are under care of physicians in houses near the scene of the wreck.

The identified dead up to 11 a. m. are:

JACK SILVERMAN, Philadelphia.

MRS. ROBERT G. DOUGHERTY, 1205 South 23th street, Philadelphia.

C. KUHLMAN, 1202 Ninth avenue, Altoona, Pa.

H. K. THOMAS, Parsburg, Pa., engineer of the passenger train.

"The first intimation I had of the wreck," said John B. Reynolds of Pittsburg, a newspaper man who was going home from New York and escaped with slight injuries, "was when I heard an awful crash and was thrown out into the aisle of the car. I was dazed for a little time and only realized what had happened when I felt a woman seize me and scream 'For God's sake help me.'"

"I pushed her out of the window and a fellow passenger handed out her child. He then left the train and called me to jump through the window. Just then there was a terrific explosion. As I dropped to the ground a missile knocked me down. When I recovered my senses I crawled across the tracks under a freight train and rolled down the embankment on the other side. I was in my night clothes and all my other clothing and belongings were lost.

"I never want to witness such a sight as that which followed the collision. Women were screaming, children were crying, and strong men were wandering about dazed and helpless. The tracks were strewn in all directions with half naked men and women, some of whom were dead and others seriously injured.

On this same train was Sam Shubert, the well known theatrical man, and Abe Thalheimer, one of Mr. Shubert's agents. They were accompanied by William Kline, a New York lawyer, and were on their way to Pittsburg to close a deal for the lease of a theatre. Mr. Shubert was slightly burned and was taken to a hotel with scarcely any clothing. Mr. Kline was badly burned.

Passengers and train men were burned to crisp, while others were pinned helplessly in the debris. So completely incinerated were the bodies that only four could be identified up to 11 a. m. The two who were immediately recognized after their remains were found were Engineer Thomas of Parkersburg, Pa., and Mrs. Dougherty of Philadelphia, both of whose bodies were thrown clear of the debris instead of into it, as was the case of several others.

Mr. and Mrs. Tindle of Pittsburg the latter the daughter of United States Senator P. C. Knox, were slightly injured by flying glass. Governor Pennypacker immediately dispatched his private secretary, B. Wharton to the aid of Mr. and Mrs. Tindle. Mr. Wharton was unable to find any conveyance to carry him to Steelton and procured a horse and started to ride. On his way he met a cab man who lent him his cab and Mr. and Mrs. Tindle were brought to the executive mansion, where they were furnished with clothing and medical attention.

As soon as some of the dead and injured were reached they were laid in long, ghastly rows along the tracks. Many were carried into the offices and even into the working rooms of the Paxtang plant and other manufacturing establishments. There are few private dwellings near the scene of the disaster which is in the industrial district. The Paxtang plant was transformed into an emergency hospital, where everything was done for the mangled and dying while waiting for conveyances to take them to the Harrisburg hospital. A police patrol wagon was among the first conveyances to arrive on the scene. Into it were packed as many wounded as possible. Special trains were immediately made up by the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., and conveyed the injured to Union station, whence they were taken to the hospital and other places.

HOSPITAL CROWDED.

At the hospital, every available bed was soon filled. Shortly afterward the throng of injured was so great that all who were able to walk, were compelled to give their cots to the more seriously injured and the corridors were filled with injured waiting their turn for treatment.

Every physician or surgeon available in the city was called up by telephone and immediately tendered his services in the task of caring for and dressing the wounds of the mangled. Trained nurses volunteered their services and all who had any knowledge of first aid to the injured proved of incalculable service.

As fast as the injured who were able to be removed from the hospital had received attention they were sent away. They were taken to hotels and private houses, whose occupants in a great many cases threw open their doors to the distressed.

Pathos indescribable characterized the scenes about the wrecks. Husbands separated from wives and little children bereft of their parents sought their friends among the dead and dying.

BODIES BADLY BURNED.

Sometimes they succeeded in finding their loved ones among the slightly injured or even among those unscathed, but many were found among the bodies in the temporary morgue at the Paxtang plant. In many instances they failed to find them at all, either because the bodies were still buried in the smoking debris or were so badly burned, as to be unrecognizable.

The primary cause of the wreck, was a shifting engine. It was going west slowly which the engineer of the east bound train saw it coming on his track. He applied the air brakes suddenly, causing the middle of the freight train to buckle, shoving several of the cars onto the west bound passenger track. A moment later the express, one of the fastest night trains on the road dashed into the wrecked cars. The next instant the boiler of the passenger locomotive exploded. The wreck took fire and those who escaped began the work of rescue. Six minutes after the express struck the freight wreck, the railroad men say the flames reached the car filled with powder. There was a flash and deafening roar. The earth trembled as in an earthquake. All who were not killed or injured by the explosion fled from the awful scene. The entire wreckage became a mass of flames and small boxes of powder that had not exploded, "let go" continuously. While these explosions continued, men who had bravely gone to the rescue before the first explosion did not dare to approach the burning wreck though they could hear the agonizing shrieks of the dying.

Flames began to consume the bodies helplessly pinned in the wreckage.

An alarm of fire was turned in and when the firemen arrived, it was impossible for them to go closer than 300 yards of the fire until the explosions ceased. Then the intense heat interferred with the work of rescue.

Rescuers were forced to retire with singed hair, blistered faces and burning clothing when they attempted to respond to the cries for help. Those who escaped by crawling through windows in scant attire from their sleeping car berths hurried to the open fields whence they were carried to the Paxtang Electric Light company and other industrial plants which were quickly transformed into temporary hospitals and later into morgues.

Many of the injured were hurried to the Harrisburg hospital where a large staff of physicians and nurses dressed their injuries. Soon the hospital was filled to over-flowing and many of the injured were put in hotels and private residences. The scenes in the vicinity of the wreck were appalling as many families who lived in the small houses near the place were summoned from thel beds, and thinking some catastrophe had befallen them rushed from heir beds clad only in their night clothes and blankets which they wrapped around them in their haste. Several small houses near the Lochiel furnaces were badly shattered. Flying glass and other articles which were knocked from the walls struck the inmates as they lay in their beds and a number of minor injuries were reported.

The shock and effect of the explosion were heard for many miles and glass and large windows were broken for miles around.

Henry Silverman, a New York jewelry salesman, had a sachel in his berth which contained $17,000 worth of fine sample jewelry. He was compelled to leave everything in the passenger coach to escape being burned to death. He could not find his bag in the darkness and the jewels were lost.

POLICE ON GUARD.

The Harrisburg police almost to a man was at the scene of the horror, and they were largely responsible for prevention of the work of the ghouls. Even the day officers turned out in uniform and assisted with the work.

Colonel Joseph B. Hutcheson, chief of police, was on hand early and directed his men. They carried injured from the temporary hospitals to the relief trains and were of inesteemable assistance in a great many ways.

Steelton citizens lent their aid in the work and a number of their fire companies were early on the scene going valiantly to the aid of the Harrisburg firemen. The railroad tracks were covered with debris, both passenger and freight, four in number.

Practically all of the glass in windows in South Harrisburg and Steelton was broken by the force of the explosion. Most of the down-town sidewalks were literally covered with broken glass.

Glass windows on Market street, one mile from the scene of the disaster, were broken.

SPECIAL TRAIN

BROUGHT INJURED PEOPLE TO THE HOSPITALS.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 11.—The first special train brought 66 injured to the hospital and about 20 on the second trip. Delivery wagons, automobiles and a Steelton fire engine brought between 20 and 30 to the hospital and the city patrol wagon 21.

Twenty more were brought on trolley cars and were carried a block to the institution on stretchers. The stretchers ran out and shutters were torn off of houses and utilized to carry the injured.

After those whose injuries would permit had been sent away fro mthe hospital there were fully 100 left. Many of Harrisburg's wealthy citizens sent their equipages to carry the bleeding injured and sent great quantities of cotton and linen bandages. Some who resided near the hospital sent their best table linen. Hundreds of people, less able, rendered just as acceptable service.

The rescuing parties took eight bodies from the debris between 5.15 and 5.30 o'clock. The corpses were so badly charred that it was impossible to tell whether they were those of men or women.

When a special train arrived by way of the Cumberland valley railroad tracks which run to the side of the hospital, A. Zironi and his wife, Italians, from New York, hobbled into the building crying loudly for their lost child, who it is believed was killed in the wreck. Both were burned about the face and hands but cried only for their child, while the nurses and physicians were dressing their painful wounds.

Many injured persons, who had waited for some time their turn to receive treatment, when they saw persons in worse plight than theirs resigned their places and went out into the corridor again.

A Pittsburg man named Williams, who had bound up his own injuries which consisted of burns of both hands and feet, left the dispensary for the others, and while standing in the hall fainted from exhaustion.

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BONNIE DALTON

Said That Her Husband Choked Her

BOSTON, May 11—Bonnie Belle Dalton, wife of Robert Osborn Dalton, a son of the ex-adjutant general of this state, late yesterday afternoon was granted a decree of nisi by Judge Crosby in the divorce session of the superior court. Cruel and abusive treatment was the ground for action and the charge was sustained by the libellant, her mother, sister and brother. It was on the uncontested list and the husband of the young woman did not appear.

Mrs. Dalton, a handsome young woman with dark brown hair, black eyes, clean-cut, regular features, slight and of medium height, wore a brown turban hat with cream trimmings, brown skirt, white shirtwaist and brown bolero jacket.

She testified that she is the daughter of Dr. Cornelius Beard, a retired Brookline physician, now 78 years old and suffering from senile dementia. Dr. Beard served on the staff of Gen Beauregard during the civil war. She was married to the son of Ex-Adjt. Gen. Dalton at her father's home in Brookline, April 4, 1903. The parents of the bridegroom were present at the ceremony. The libellant showed her birthbook ,containing an account of the affair.

Her husband, she said, was a graduate of Harvard university, class of 1900, and at the time of the marriage he was a clerk in the bank of which her father was president. Her father was married twice, she testified, and she is a daughter of the second wife.

After her marriage she went to live in Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge. They then occupied a small suite, taking their meals down stairs. Mr. Dalton usually had his breakfast at a restaurant, and she went to Brookline, to her mother's, and had breakfast and lunch there. She remained in those apartments until Sept. 1. Her husband allowed her from 25 to 50 cents a week, and later on increased the sum to $1, sometimes giving her $1.25 a week. This, she testified, was not sufficient for her to pay car fares to and from her mother's.

In all the time they were living together he gave her in wearing apparel only an $8 hat, a 50 cent pair of gloves and a $5 pair of shoes. He would not buy stockings for her, so she made some out of his. She had asked him for money with which to buy her breakfasts, but he declined to give it to her, she testified.

On May 1, last year, she said, he came into the bathroom while she was there, and she ordered him out. He declined to go, and threw her upon a bed, throttling her so that she became unconscious, she said, and he was compelled to use water to revive her. One week later he pushed her into a corner, clutching her neck and so frightening her that she had nervous indigestion, bordering on nervous prostration, her physician said.

On July 11, she testified, he told her to sit down, and when she did not do so promptly enough to satisfy him he seized her arms and threw her on a couch, her head striking the window sill. Her eyes swelled, there were two big lumps raised on the back of her head, and her elbow was injured. For six weeks her arm was in a sling, and for several weeks afterward was in bandages.

TEACHERS' CONFERENCE.

HANOVER, N. H., May 11.—"The function of the school in developing character" is the central theme for consideration at a conference of teachers of elementary and secondary schools arranged to commence late this afternoon under the auspices of Dartmouth college. The conference will continue Friday and Saturday forenoon and its sessions will be held in the Tuck school building.

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TWO DROWNED

CORNELL STUDENTS WERE OUT CANOEING.

ITHACA, N. Y., May 11.—Two Cornell students, George M. Seymour, '07, of New York city, and Charles L. Sperry, '07, of North Adams, members of the Theta Si fraternity, were drowned in Cayagua lake last night. They started out in a canoe late in the afternoon. A slight wind was blowing but the lake was not rough. They tipped over a mile from shore with no assistance near. The bodies were not recovered.

BODY FOUND

JOSEPH FORTIER MAY HAVE COMMITTED SUICIDE.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., May 11—The body of a man about 30 years old, which was found in the woods at Eliot, Maine, on April 21, and which since that time has been lying at an undertaking establishment in this city was almost positively identified today as that of Joseph Fortier, of Montreal. A young man who did not give his name came here from Dover today and viewed the body, after which he stated that he was almost sure it was that of Fortier, with whom he had formerly worked in Dover. He said Fortier was of a melancholy disposition and he believed this had led him to commit suicide.

DR. MERRILL DEAD.

PORTLAND, Me., May 11.—Dr. Henry P. Merrill, one of the best known physicians and surgeons in Maine, died today aged 62 years. He was born in Oxford county and came to Portland when a young man. For several years he was a member of the pension examining board. A wife and several children, including Dr. H. P. Merrill, Jr., of this city, survive.

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5 lbs. Fancy Santa Clara Prunes, 17c
Good American Sardines, can.... 4c
10 lb. pail Swift's Silver Leaf Lard, 93c
Bon Ami or Sapolio, cake.....7c
Postum Cereal Coffee, large pkg, 17c
Qt. bot. Vermont Maple Syrup, 25c
Pt. bot. Tomato Catsup..... 7c
Cross & Blackwell's Malt Vinegar, bottle 19c
Force, pkg. 10c
Cairn's Scotch Orange Marmalade, jar 15c

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Fine Carolina Rice, lb..... 2c
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Walter Baker's Cocoa, ½ lb. cans, 17c
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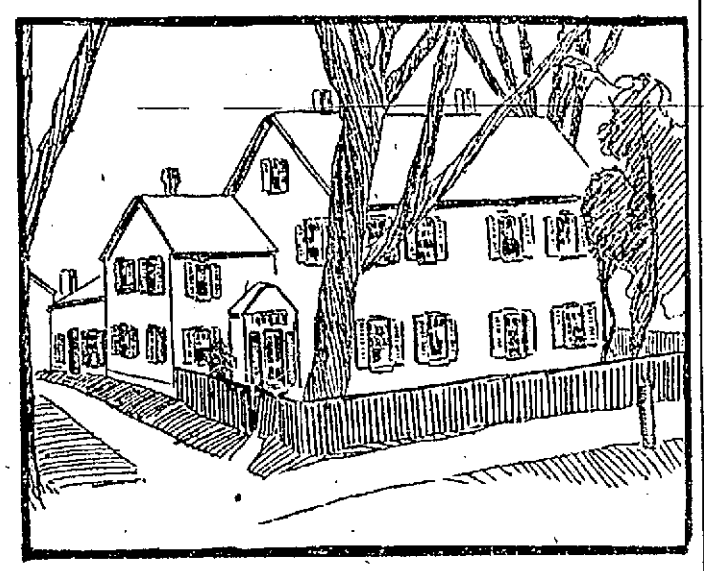

THE HOME OF THE PUFFER FAMILY FROM WHICH MRS. PUFFER DISAPPEARED.

None Saw Her After She Left Her Home in Dracut Tuesday Night—Friends Do Not Believe She Would Commit Suicide

Although a thorough search has been made for some clue as to the disapearance of Mrs. George Puffer of Pleasant street, Dracut, none has been found who can throw the least light upon the mysterious affair.

As reported exclusively in last night's Sun, Mrs. Puffer disappeared from her home between 8.25 and 9.30 o'clock, Tuesday evening and from the time her husband left her at the house at 8.25 o'clock, apparently in good spirits, though ill from an ailment that had necessitated an operation and which had weighed heavily on her mind, until the present, not a single trace of her has been disclosed.

There are three theories advanced as to the cause of her continued absence from home, suicide, an inclination to go out and shift for herself as a manicurist and a desire to consult with Dr. Bishop, a Boston specialist in regard to her illness.

The police incline to the theory of suicide because of the fact that Mrs. Puffer had been brooding more or less over her illness and had frequently spoken to her husband as being a burden to him in her present condition although he did all in his power to disabuse her mind of that idea. Furthermore upon his return home, Tuesday night, finding that she had gone, a search of the house revealed a letter on the table in her room written in lead pencil to the effect that she was too much of a burden to him, that she was going away, but did not know where, and requested him not to look for her, for he would not be able to find her. The letter was quite lengthy but its substance according to Mr. Puffer was as above.

But the husband, parents and close friends of the missing woman do not believe that she did away with herself and when interviewed by a reporter of The Sun this morning, Miss Edna Peabody, a neighbor and close friend of Mrs. Puffer said: "I don't believe that Mrs. Puffer committed suicide. She was not that kind of a girl. She was too high principled to do such a thing, even under the most adverse influences. It had long been her ambition to open a manicuring parlor of her own either here or in Boston, as she understood that business thoroughly and she often said that some day she would do so. It would not surprise me if imbued with the idea that she was a burden to her husband she has gone to Boston or elsewhere to look for work or to open a place of her own."

The conductors on the Lakeview avenue line, all of whom know Mrs. Puffer, from having seen her on their cars often are positive that she did not take a car to Lowell on Tuesday night and for this reason many believe that she must still be in the neighborhood of her home. But by following along Pleasant street to its junction with Bridge street, at the Yellow Meeting House, she might have gone into Lowell on a Bridge street car, or might have gone through to Boston as the Boston car line runs to Dracut Centre.

The fact that she put on her hat and coat and took her purse with her would indicate that she was going some distance away and would not indicate that she was bent on suicide.

Mrs. Puffer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Silbie of Lawrence who formerly resided at Collinsville and the Navy Yard.

After searching among their friends in that city and notifying the Lawrence police the couple went to Dracut this morning to assist in the search for the missing young woman.

Both are greatly distressed over their daughter's disappearance and believe that she wandered away while temporarily deranged mentally as the result of her trouble. Speaking with a reporter of The Sun, Mrs. Silbie said: "I cannot understand the cause of my poor Jeannie's disapearance. I saw her a week ago last Tuesday and at that time there was nothing to indicate any mental trouble or despondency.

"It surprises me greatly that she kept her trouble and worriment from me, and she was always my companion and told me all her hopes and cares. She was not a girl to go around much and had few girl friends. She always preferred to be with me and up to the time of her marriage, last June, she was with me most of the time. She had once been treated by Dr. Bishop, a Boston specialist, whom she met at home when we lived in Sherbrooke, and as she had talked of consulting him it may be that she made a sudden determination to go to Boston to see him. We have telegraphed to Boston and to Sherbrooke to friends to be on the watch for her. I cannot believe that she has committed suicide.

"I am going to find her if such a thing is possible," said the heart-broken father, and immediately upon his arrival in the Navy Yard he started out to search by the banks of Beaver brook and in the woods toward Collinsville.

Mr. Puffer, Miss Peabody and other friends have searched the vicinity of the Navy Yard and Collinsville but have failed to find even any person who saw a woman answering her description on Tuesday night or yesterday. Beaver brook will be dragged and if the missing woman does not put in an appearance by Saturday, the brook in all probability will be drawn off, to aid the searchers.

A searching party will be organized today to scour the woods in the vicinity as the young woman might have become temporarily deranged and have wandered into the woods.

The last one to see Mrs. Puffer was her husband who left his home at 8.25 o'clock Tuesday night, leaving his wife, he claims in good spirits though not in good health. He returned to his home at 9.30 and found her gone.

Allowing 10 or 15 minutes for the writing of the note and other preparations for her departure she must have left the house shortly before 9 o'clock. A woman who lives across the street from the Puffers states that she stood in her doorway from 9 o'clock until 9.30 and within that time did not see her leave the house so that it would appear that she left shortly before 9 o'clock. Her husband went to Lawrence yesterday in search of her but she did not go there.

Mrs. Puffer before her marriage was employed at Rhodes' hair store in Merrimack street as a manicurist and is highly spoken of by both Mr. Rhodes and the employes of the establishment. She was married last June to Mr. George Puffer, a popular second hand in the Merrimack mills and son of Mr. J. Frank Puffer of this city.

Mrs. Puffer is 21 years of age, of dark complexion, five feet four inches in height,

MRS. GEORGE PUFFER.
Missing From Dracut.

of medium build and of very comely appearance. When last seen she wore a blue dress, light colored short coat and a blue hat.

Mr. George Puffer said to the reporter:

"It is my idea that she wandered away from her home and probably is now at some house not far away. I am positive that if she saw the reports in the paper of her disappearance she would return immediately.

"She was a person who would brood much over little things. She was not in the best of health and she might have had an idea that she was a burden, but such was not the case. She was not obliged to work, and she had a comfortable home.

"When I left her shortly before 8.30 o'clock Tuesday night she seemed to be in a happy frame of mind. She did not complain of being ill, in fact she was apparently happy."

Mr. Puffer, Sr., father-in-law of the missing woman, stated that he did not think that the young woman had committed suicide. He was in the house when she left, although he did not hear her depart.

STILL NO CLUE.

At the time of going to press no clue as to the whereabouts of the missing woman had been obtained.

LIP CUT

THREE STITCHES REQUIRED TO CLOSE THE WOUND.

Ernest Velletir, residing at 27 Bowers street, was injured while at work in the Lowell Machine Shop. He was struck with a spindle and received an incised wound of the upper lip. At the Emergency hospital three stitches were taken in the wound.

NO PARDON

PETITION OF GARRABRANT WAS REFUSED.

TRENTON, N. J., May 11.—The board of pardons today refused to pardon or parole Libbe Garrabrant, who has been in the state prison more than 30 years, serving a life sentence for murder.

BLOWN OPEN

SAFE IN A POSTOFFICE WAS ROBBED.

CORNISH, Maine, May 11.—The safe in the postoffice at Kezar Falls was blown open with nitro glycerine early today and stamps valued at $276 taken. Clothing and woolen goods from Postmaster Stanley's dry goods store in the same building were used to deaden the sound.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. McElligott of North Billerica are rejoicing at the birth of a daughter. Mrs. McElligott was Miss Agnes Cassidy of Chapel street, Lowell.

FEARFUL DISASTER

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THE INJURED

LIST OF THOSE AT THE HARRISBURG HOSPITAL.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 11.—Following is a revised list of the injured at Harrisburg hospital:

James R. Barnes, Uniontown, N. J.

Miss Greigg, whose sister is missing.

J. B. Mason, Schuylkill arsenal.

L. E. Burt, New Brunswick, N. J., burns and lacerations.

Mrs. J. A. Streckley, New York, cut on head.

Arden Post, Elizabeth, N. J., hands and feet burned.

S. P. Brown, St. Louis, cuts on body.

M. B. Sterrett, Chicago, hands and feet injured.

J. Berry, Bedford county, Pa., foot broken.

John Taylor, laceration of foot, hands and body cut.

W. B. Whitley, Wilmington, Del., head and arms cut.

John Hay, Vineburg, Pa., head and back bruised.

Hannah Lunstrum, New York, face burned.

Samuel Stern, Cleveland, O., head and leg cut.

J. C. Francescont, New York, head lacerated, clothes burned off.

J. W. Brodo, Memphis, Tenn., head and foot injured.

J. Ronan, New York, hand cut.

H. J. Schmidt, New York, cut and bruised about body.

George W. Miller, Pittsburg, head cut and bruised.

C. T. Perkins, Pittsburg, feet and hands burned.

William P. M. Irvin, Philadelphia, head cut.

Mrs. Albert J. Barr, wife of the editor of the Pittsburg Post, and daughters Constance and Adeline, slightly bruised.

I. Russell, Pittsburg, Pullman porter, possibly internally hurt.

R. J. Rose, Pullman porter, injured internally.

Matthew Henley, Philadelphia, Pullman porter, arm broken.

Robert Oliver, New York, Pullman porter, arm injured.

Mrs. H. C. Yard, Brooklyn, bruised.

Mrs. C. H. Snow, Brooklyn, eye injured.

Rosie Pollick, Pittsburg, face lacerated and bruised.

Dr. W. H. McCollough, Cleveland, back injured.

Joseph Garmon, Pittsburg, head and both hands burned.

James E. Brumbaugh, Martinsburg, Pa., head and hands cut.

Charles Johnson, Philadelphia, shoulder dislocated.

Joseph King, Cleveland, bruised on body.

Thomas Lucia, Altoona, head lacerated.

Samuel Porthuski, New York, head and leg lacerated.

N. Henry, Philadelphia, slight bruises.

H. Rodgers, slight bruises of body.

R. Wolcott, Steelton, slightly injured.

H. Silverman, Chicago, leg and arm fractured.

$300,000 LOSS

PROPERTY, CASH AND JEWELRY WERE DESTROYED.

HARRISBURG, May 11.—It was impossible at 6.30 o'clock to get the names of the most seriously injured who are at the hospital.

Many of them are in such a critical state or covered with so many bandages that talking is out of the question.

At 8 o'clock it was estimated that the dead numbered between 25 and 30.

One hundred and twenty-five received treatment for injuries at the Harrisburg hospital, most of whom are confined in the institution. Ten of these may die. Only three have been positively identified, so completely were the bodies cremated. The known dead are:

MRS. ROBERT DOUGHERTY, Philadelphia.

H. K. THOMAS, engineer of the passenger locomotive, Philadelphia, head blown off when boiler exploded.

JACOB SILVERMAN, Bridgeton, N. J., burned to a crisp in his berth; identified by a masonic emblem on his coat.

At 7.30 o'clock this morning none of the tracks had been cleared, but the wreckage crews, three in number, the two original ones on the scene having been augmented by the Columbia crew, began throwing the debris over the bank of the Susquehanna river.

At this time the fire in the two last Pullman cars was extinguished. The contents of these where it is believed a number of bodies were buried were so completely burned that it was not possible to tell whether there were any bodies there or not. If there were they were reduced to ashes. It is unofficially estimated that the financial loss will amount to fully $300,000. This includes $15,000 for cash, jewelry and other personal effects of the passengers, that were destroyed.

NARROW ESCAPE

LITTLE CHILD FELL INTO A CISTERN.

MALDEN, May 11.—Yesterday afternoon the 5-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Parker of Portland, Me., narrowly escaped being drowned in a cistern.

The accident occurred at the home of Mr. Edgar T. Parker, 30 Revere street, Linden, grandfather of the child.

The child's mother left her in a baby carriage in the yard. The wind is supposed to have started it, and it ran into the open cistern, which was nearly full of water.

Frantic cries of the mother, brought neighbors who rescued the child.

A SUICIDE

BODY OF MISSING PHYSICIAN FOUND HANGING FROM TREE.

CORNISH, Me., May 11.—The body of Dr. E. G. Reynolds, the West Newfield dentist, who disappeared yesterday, was found today hanging from a halter attached to a tree a mile from his home. Dr. Reynolds had been seriously ill for three months with a nervous attack. He was born at Milton, N. H., 51 years ago.

Y. W. C. A. CONFERENCE.

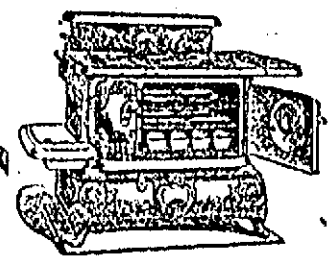
A conference of the Women's Auxiliaries of the Young Men's Christian associations of the first district is being held in the chapel of the First Baptist church at Haverhill today. The following is the program:

MORNING.

10.15—Praise Service.
10.20—Greeting.
Response, Mrs. J. M. Craig, Lowell.
10.45—Devotional exercises, Mrs. Howard L. Porter, Haverhill.
11.00—Records of last conference, Mrs. F. K. Stearns, Lowell.
Roll-call of delegates.
Appointment of nominating committee.
Offering.
11.30—How to Influence in Favor of Association Work, D. C. Drew, Amesbury.
12.00—Legitimate work of auxiliaries.
12.30—Adjournment.
Basket lunch. Tea and coffee furnished by Haverhill ladies.

AFTERNOON.

1.50—Praise service.
1.55—Devotional exercises, Mrs. F. Savage, Amesbury.
2.10—Report of committee.
Offering.
2.20—Best work of each auxiliary.
3.00—Questions on best methods in committee work, to be answered by chairmen of committees.
3.30—Boys' Work From a Mother's View Point, Mrs. F. A. Pease, Fall River.
4.00—Adjournment.



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HELD AS SPIES

Japanese Officers Were Among Arrested

TOKIO, May 11.—Ex-Lieutenant Iwasakin, formerly connected with the engineer department of the Japanese navy, has been arrested in connection with the charges which resulted in the arrest of A. L. Bougouin and his step-son F. Strange, as spies for the Russian government.

Iwasakin was dismissed from the navy and deprived of his rank in 1901 for alleged misconduct and he has since been under police espionage.

The preliminary of the charges against Bougouin and Strange is now proceeding, but the dates for their arraignment and trial have not yet been decided. Bougouin has for a long time held in high esteem by the Japanese and he has been decorated by the emperor.

SOCIAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION.

BOSTON, May 11.—Prominent educators and scientists came to Boston today to attend the annual convention of the American Social Science Association, which will continue through Friday and Saturday. Sessions will be held in Huntington hall and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. President John Graham Brooks opened the first meeting today and delivered a brief address of welcome to the delegates.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

BOLD ESCAPE

HENRY FORTIER BROKE JAIL AT AUBURN, ME.

AUBURN, Me., May 11.—Henry Fortier made a daring escape from the third floor of the jail workshop yesterday, dropping 18 feet to the ground. He made a hole 16 inches high and 9 inches wide in the shop wall with a piece of shafting, squeezed through and gained the roof of a shed and dropped to the ground. He left his prison suit behind.

Fortier was serving time for burglary at the clothing store of Cronin & Root, Lewiston. When arrested he put up a hard fight. He and his "pal," Arthur Lafayette, were sentenced in September, 1904, to one year each. A few weeks later they broke jail, but were recaptured. At the January term they were given two months each for that offence.

For some time after the first escape Fortier was worked in shackles, but good conduct secured the removal of the shackles, and he was given a job tending a machine in the workshop. He is 5 feet 6 inches tall, weighs 135 pounds, with smooth face, and light complexion. He has a slight French accent.

FOUND BOMBS

THEY WERE PLACED IN SAFETY DEPOSIT VAULT.

MOSCOW, May 11.—Half a dozen bombs were found yesterday in a box placed in a safety deposit vault. A man was arrested on suspicion of being the owner of the box. On his person was found a receipt from the vault company for the box.

Miss Ella Chase and Mr. William Chase of Pleasant street, are visiting in Hosnac Falls, N. Y.

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FLOWER QUEEN

Delightful Operetta at Highland Club

At the Highland club hall, last evening, the operetta, "The New Flower Queen, or the Coronation of the Rose" was presented by local talent with some outside assistance before a rather small audience, under the direction of Miss D. S. Munroe of Boston. The operetta deserved a much larger attendance as it was excellently presented. The out of town talent consisted of Mr. C. Pol Plancon and Miss Jeannette O. Holmberg of Boston who assumed the leading characters. Among the other soloists, Mrs. Nettie Roberts, as "Dahlia," Miss Nettie Studley as "Crocus," and Miss Julia Salmon as "Dandelion," were conspicuous for excellent work, while the other parts were uniformly well sung.

In part second, two pretty dances were introduced, "El Toreador," by Hazel Chamberlain, and "Skirt Dance" by Esther Mulgrove, pupils of Miss Josephine M. Ockington.

The cast of the operetta was as follows:

Recluse............Mr. C. Pol Planclion
Rose............Jeannette O. Holmberg
Forget-me-not ....Annabel Savage
Crocus ....Nettie Studley
Dahlia ....Mrs. Nettie Roberts
Heliotrope ....Julia Burke
Mignonette ....Annie Ranger
Japonica ....Rena Landers
Sunflower ....May Julliman
Lily ....Helen Spencer
Violet ....Gladys West
Poppies—Helen Barrett, Elnora Clifford, Annie Holman, Lola Talbert, Nellie Fairweather, Alice Ingham.
Hollyhock ....Jessie Richardson
Dandelion ....Miss Julia Salmon
Heatherbells—Ruth Bill, Alma Gilman, Mabel Rogers, Marie Richardson, Margory Douglas, Hazel Chicken.
Holly ....Ruth Earle
Violet ....Lema Talbert
Buttercup ....Jennie Hartwell
Daisy ....Louise Rogers
Red Carnation..........Rachel Douglas

Music was by the Euterpe Ladies' orchestra.

Preceding the operetta, the dramatic sketch, "Drifted Apart," was excellently presented by Mr. M. J. Mahoney and Mrs. Elnore F. Haskell.

The entertainment was given for the benefit of the Massachusetts Association for Promoting the Interests of the Adult Blind.

FUNERAL HELD

OVER REMAINS OF REV. FR. PAQUETTE, O. M. I.

The funeral of Rev. Fr. Menesippe Paquette, O. M. I., whose body was sent to this city Tuesday from Central Falls, R. I., took place yesterday from the novitiate at Tewksbury and there were a large number of Lowell clergymen present.

Rev. Fr. Smith, O. M. I., superior of the novitiate, officiated at the solemn funeral mass, with Rev. Fr. Campeau, O. M. I., as deacon, and Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I., as sub-deacon. There was appropriate singing by the priests and brothers of the novitiate.

Deceased's father and mother, also his sister and several other relatives, all of Central Falls, were present at the services.

Burial was in the novitiate cemetery, and Rev. Fr. Smith officiated at the grave. Undertaker Napoleon Bilodeau had charge of the arrangements.

TWO ACTIONS

GROWING OUPT OF REV. DR. COURT'S WILL.

Two actions at law growing out of a $500 legacy left by the will of Mrs. Margaret Court, widow of Rev. Dr. Court, to William Gilchrist, her brother, of Kilmarnock, Scotland, have been finally decided by Judge Bond in the superior court. One of these actions was brought by Mrs. Jane Morton of Kilmarnock, a sister of Mrs. Court, against Mr. Gilchrist, on a judgment obtained by her against him in the sheriff's court for Ayrshire, for upwards of $1300; and to secure the payment of this judgment debt, John S. Patton, Esq., Mrs. Morton's attorney, trusteed the legacy left Mr. Gilchrist, in the hands of Charles Cowley, Esq., and John D. Hubbard, executors of the will. It was claimed in behalf of Mr. Gilchrist that he had made an assignment of his legacy to his wife, and she claimed that she in turn had assigned it to John and Jane Stewart, but these assignments were held to be void by the law of Scotland, and the court has rendered final judgment for Mrs. Morton. The other case was a suit against the executoris by Mr. and Mrs. Gilchrist and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart for the legacy; but in consequence of the decision in the former case, the court gave judgment in favor of the executors.

FATHER AND SON

LOWELL MEN ESCAPE FROM NASHUA CITY FARM.

Tuesday's Nashua Telegraph had the following: "John Clark and John Clark, jr., father and son, appeared in police court, April 24, and got 30 days each for being drunk. They went to the city farm and tok supper that night and later took a sneak. Mnday night they were re-arrested and this morning got 30 days additional to the original sentence. They both came from Lowell.

NEW AUTOS

SOME NOVEL MAKES COME TO LOWELL.

New automobiles continue to come to this city and the number of followers of the sport is daily increasing. Fred W. Pilling has received a handsome Pierce Great Arrow touring car, one similar to that owned by George S. Motley.

Willis Farrington is in receipt of a Fiat machine, it being an Italian make and somewhat different from the machines seen in this city, owing to the size of the wheels and tires.

The local autoists are making long daily trips and many of the devotees of the sport have covered over 2000 miles so far this season.

Mrs. C. L. Whitcomb, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Edgell of 24 Chenev place, returned to her home in Bethlehem, N. H., yesterday.

HOUSE ON FIRE

Minister Summoned From Convention

A fire supposed to be of incendiary origin was started in the Baptist church parsonage in South Chelmsford yesterday afternoon and but for the efficient work of a quickly mustered bucket brigade the parsonage would have been wiped out.

The pastor, Rev. Mr. Williams, and his wife, attended the Baptist convention in North Tewksbury and in the afternoon Mr. Williams received a message apprising him of the fact that his house was on fire. By the time he arrived in South Chelmsford, however, the bucket brigade had succeeded in putting out the fire. The rear part of the parsonage was badly damaged. The villagers believe that the fire was of incendiary origin.

ON THE ALLEYS

HITCH IN MATCH BETWEEN LOWELL AND PORTLAND.

Mr. Mathis received a telegram last evening from the manager of the Lowell bowling team, a member of the New England championship league, stating that he cannot come to Portland tonight as one of his men is ill. It was a tardy notice to the Portland team and there is a suspicious tinge to the matter. Mr. Mathis was displeased and disappointed at this announcement and will seek to have the true reason given and will insist that the match be bowled here or else let Lowell forfeit the three games.—Tuesday's Portland Press.

The Portland Argus of the same date has the following to say on the same matter:

"Lowell is weak-hearted, it would seem, as Mr. Mathis received a telegram last evening in which the managtr there said he can not come to Portland this evening to roll three games in the intercity series, according to the schedule. He is unable to have this strong attraction for the alloys tonight as a consequence, so he will be obliged to claim the three by forfeit or else have them bowled here later on. It was rather bad management for Lowell to allow this matter to progress to this late hour before sending word to Mr. Mathis, as the Worcester Telegram intimated Saturday morning that the Lowell team would squeal on the Portland trip."

The Gaiety Five defeated the Harvard Brewers at the Bowlaway alleys last night by a score of 1358 to 1312. The score:

GAIETY FIVE.				
Rourke	90	90	91	283
Rynn	91	81	116	283
Fleming	83	80	93	265
Harrington	86	84	83	255
Mooney	85	86	91	262
Totals	435	441	477	1358

HARVARD BREWERS.				
Quigley	80	87	90	257
McNamee	101	81	80	217
O'Hare	93	81	83	257
Sullivan	93	91	84	269
Clark	93	94	86	273
Totals	473	437	432	1312

The Perrys defeated the Browns on the Bowlaway alleys last night, the winning team capturing all three strings as well as the total. Capt. Perry was high man with a three string total of 263. The score:

PERRYS.				
McGill	79	83	96	258
McMillin	85	92	73	250
Hannon	106	83	72	261
Dorris	84	78	92	254
Perry	79	102	82	263
Totals	432	438	415	1285

BROWNS.				
Ferrin	81	86	11	247
Boyle	77	82	94	253
Brigham	81	83	85	249
Lablanc	81	76	76	231
Brown	90	77	70	246
Totals	422	403	403	1228

MARRIED COUPLES WON.

The married couples defeated the single couples by over one hundred pins at the private alleys at the Bowlaway alleys last night The score:

TEAM ONE.				
Miss McDonald	61	60	61	182
D. Hambleton	75	75	78	228
Miss E. Young	61	52	60	173
G. Clayton	71	77	91	239
H. Pease	56	65	64	185
J. Woodcock	72	71	81	227
Totals	395	400	433	1231

TEAM TWO.				
Mrs. Shaw	43	58	45	146
Mr. J. Shaw	76	56	78	210
Mrs. Scholes	48	68	58	174
W. Scholes	72	69	78	219
Mrs. Gilman	51	59	41	151
E. Gilman	65	61	60	192
Totals	365	404	363	1127

YOUNG DEBATERS

HEAR AN INSTRUCTIVE TALK ON ADVERTISING.

A well attended meeting of the Solon W. Stevens Debating club was held last night, and during the evening a fine literary program was carried out. Thomas Smith, delivered Rep. Cousin's oration on the "Heroes of the Maine Disaster." R. R. Richardson recited "The Relief of Lucknow" and as an encore, "The Volunteer Organist."

The feature of the evening, however, was a paper on "Modern Advertising" by William O. Dearborn. He said in part: That the man who never advertises is like the man without a home, no one knows where to find him. The advertising of yesterday is not like the advertising of today. It has changed from being the instrument of quacks and charlatans to a place as an engine in the conduct and expansion of business. It also modifies the course of a people's daily thought, giving new ideas, new fashions, new phrases, new ideas, new fashions, new prejudices and new customs. As men with better training and higher mental powers become identified with advertising, the profession of an advertising man has steadily risen until today it aspires to rank with that of the three black "Graces, law, medicine and divinity. No estimate of the future of advertising perhaps would be excessive. No modern field of industry shows larger possibilities of development. After a talk on the various advertising successes of the past 40 years, he finished by saying that in advertising as in all other lines, the sublimest thing in the world is plain truth.

Mr. Dearborn was given a rising vote of thanks.

COBURN MISSION.

The fifth anniversary of the Coburn mission was held last night at the school house in Varnum avenue. The attendance was very large and a fine supper was served by the members of the mission, while ice cream and cake were served by the young ladies. An interesting program was also carried out consisting of the following numbers:

Welcome, by Mrs. Conant; readings, by Miss Blanchard; male quartet, Messrs. Ring, Axon, Coburn and Patten; songs by Messrs. J. B. V. Coburn, Herry Patten and Robert Ring; quartet, C. A. Richardson, E. S. Howe, Mrs. O. H. Park, Miss Bartlett; whistling solo, Miss May, accompanied by Miss Esther Caddell; songs, Mr. Bartlett, Mr. H. Howe; remarks, Rev. E. R. Smith, James Caddell.

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For Boston, 5.43, 6.22, x6.45, 7.40, *8.50, *9.22, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.41 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.39, x6.49, w6.50, 7.01, 7.21, 7.31, *7.49, 7.52, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, *9.33, w10.50, 11.65, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.50, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, w*3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.25, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w*6.15, *6.12, w7.00, 7.29, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS 6.33, 7.24, w8.15, 8.18, 9.20 a. m.; w12.10, 2.25, w3.65, w5.32, 6.29, w8.03 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.23, w6.50, z7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.23, w2.30, w3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.30, w11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, w8.15 a. m.; w12.10, w5.32 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.25, a2.30, a3.55, w5.06, 5.23 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.23, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, 11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15, a. m.; 12.10, 5.32 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.23 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.23, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.32 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.32 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.23, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.32 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.23, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m.; SUNDAYS, 5.32 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.23, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06, p. m.

For Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.05 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor and Belfast, 6.23, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS 5.32 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 6.23 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.32 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland) on Monday at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgewick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport, Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

Last trip of season, October 23, 1904.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.49, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.; 2.25, 5.29 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg Divisions, 7.07, 11.65 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Stations on W. N. & P. Division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.03 a. m. (3.40 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS to Hillsboro 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; *12.00, 1.00, *1.39, 3.40, *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.03 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; *12.00, *1.39, (to Franklin only), 5.30, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.39 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont Line *9.39 a. m.; *12.00, *8.10 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, *10.39 a. m; 1.39 p. m. (5.39 p. m. to Plymouth); *b9.10 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *10.39 a. m.; *1.39, *q9.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec via Plymouth and C. P. R., *10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p. m. (daily except Saturdays.)

References:
a Via Wakefield Junction.
* Express. b Daily.
q Wednesdays and Saturdays only.
w Via Western Division.
x Via Bedford. z Via Wilmington Junc.

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Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.
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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Patrick J. Maguire, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John W. Maguire, of Lowell, in said County, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the sixteenth day of May A. D. 1905, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this second day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and five.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Beatrice A. Henderson of Cambridge in said County that she was lawfully married to William H. Henderson, now of New Aberdeen, Glace Bay, Cape Breton, Canada, at Boston, on the 12th day of October A. D. 1901, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said William H. lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at Boston, that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said William H. being wholly regardless of the same, at Boston on or about the 10th day of November A. D. 1901, utterly deserted your libellant and that said utter desertion has continued for more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said William H. Also there has been born to them of this marriage Percy Douglas Henderson, a minor child on July 9th, 1902, and your libellant prays said minor child may be committed to her care and custody.

Dated this 29th day of April A. D. 1905.

BEATRICE A. HENDERSON.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Superior Court, May 2, A. D. 1905.

Upon the libel aforesaid, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of June next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel—last known residence of the libellee, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest,

THEO. C. HURD, Clerk.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between the 5 and 10 cent store and the waiting room, small brown pocketbook, containing a sum of money. Reward at 4 Quimby ave.

LOST—Between Gates and Thorndike sts., a ten dollar bill. Return to Connors Bros., 16 Thorndike st.

LOST—On a Lowell car in Reading square, small black purse containing small change, gold locket and chain, valued as a keepsake, name card and papers. Please return same to Mabelle Venn, secretary to supt. of schols, Malden and receive reward.

LOST—Two lady's diamond rings in small leather purse. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Sun Office.

LOST—A lady's gold locket, initials M. A. C. Return to Sun office and receive reward.

LOST—Old fashioned black jet pin Sunday between 5 and 6 o'clock p. m. from Engine house on High st. through E. Merr'k to Bridge sts. Return to 24 West 6th st. and receive reward.

LOST—Sunday, lady's gold watch, chain and locket. Finder rewarded at 9 Manahan st.

LOST—A lady's pocketbook containing sum of money and lady's gold rimmed glasses and small photo, between Princeton boulevard and No. depot on Sunday afternoon. Finder return to 46 Walnut st. and receive reward.

LOST—A brown Shepherd dog, white feet and white breast. Finder return to 44 Lundberg st. and receive reward.

LOST—In vicinity of Northern depot, light curly theatrical wig. Finder will please return to 535 Varnum ave. and receive reward.

FOUND—A sum of money April 29th. Inquire at Sun Office.

LOST—A black and tan hound, name on collar, R. Martin. Finder return same rear of 78 Whipple st. and receive reward.

LOST—French bull pup, bat ear, colored black, front white paw. Return to 166 Branch st, and receive reward.

LOST—Boston terrier, bat ears, screw tail; nice brindle, white on nose, wore collar with no name on it. Reward at 70 Gorham st.

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TO LET—Two new modern flats on Rolfe st, opp. Normal school. Private entrances, verandas, steam heat, open plumbing, hard wood floors, gas and electric fixtures. Open for inspection daily between 3 and 5 p. m.

TO LET—Furnished room at 18 Burns street.

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TO LET—Two tenements in the Oaklands at 539 Rogers st., all modern conveniences and large yard. Inquire next house, 376 Fairmount st.

TO LET—A fine store, suitable for almost any kind of business. Would be a good chance for a woman to run a store and obtain a tenement in connection with same if desired. Inquire 62 Dummer st.

TO LET—On a farm in Andover, Mass., a nice colonial house, 12 rooms, furnished, piazza all around, stable, nice lawns, shade trees and shrubbery, situated high, very healthy, spring water sold right off the place, near electric and steam cars. For particulars apply to J. B. Withum, Marblehead, Mass.

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TO LET—A lodging house of ten rooms on Paige st. Apply Henry Miller & Son, 3 Wyman's Exchange.

TENEMENT to let of 4 rooms, 393 High st., $7 per month; also 2 tenement house in Somes Court, 3 rooms $5 per month, 4 rooms $6 per month. Inquire at 173 E. Merrimack st., or 121 Central st., J. W. Heery.

WE ARE HEADQUARTERS for clean, pleasant tenements at moderate rents. T. H. Elliott, 61 Central st.

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TO LET—A cottage house, all furnished, the owner would like to rent the place to a newly married couple and board with them, this is a rare chance for the right parties For further particulars inquire at 11 Sixth st. Call between 11 a. m. and 1 p. m., 4.30 to 5.50.

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A WOMAN wants a place to do housework, is an expert at house cleaning and washing. M. K., 227 Central st.

WANTED—A situation at light house work or second work. Inquire 43 Elm st., 4th bell.

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WANTED—2 experienced carpet layers and cutters, steady work the year round, good wages. The Robertson Co., 82 Prescott st.

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WANTED—Pullers-over at Stover and Bean's, Thorndike st.

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Little Catcher Does Some Tall Batting

And Puts Up a Nice Game Behind the Bat—Manchester Had a Patched-Up Infield—Both Pitchers Did Good Work

Lowell defeated Manchester in a close and well contested game at Spalding park yesterday afternoon. This was the first appearance of the Queen City team in Lowell since the opening of the present season, and the members of the team were given quite an ovation by the old fans who always enjoyed a game between Lowell and Manchester.

Cross did the slab work for Lowell while Leith did similar duty for Manchester. The attendance was about the same as yesterday, 250, though the weather conditions were somewhat improved, as there was but a slight breeze blowing across the diamond.

After the usual preliminary practice Umpire McCloud walked on to the diamond and the game was called at 3.15 o'clock.

FIRST INNING.

The visitors went to bat first and went out in quick order. Spratt struck out. Armbruster hit over second base for a single but Anderberg caught him off first and threw the ball to Merritt who tagged him out. Page hit a hot grounder to J. Connors and was the third man out.

Lowell made Manchester's fielders look like bad money in the latter half of the first inning, though there was some cause for it as the team was rather crippled owing to the fact that there were three pitchers in the game, Whiting being at shortstop and Smith in right field. Grant opened the inning by striking out. William Connors drew his base on balls. Jackson hit to Page forcing Connors out at second. Bigbie hit to Whiting who threw the ball over the first baseman's head into the bleachers and Jackson scored. Bigbie went down to second on the play. J. Connors was hit by a pitched ball and walked to first. Merritt was given a base on balls filling the bases. McLaughlin then came to the bat and hit through Whiting, and Bigbie and J. Connors scored. Whiting recovering the ball, however, returned it to first and McLaughlin was caught napping off the base.

Score—Lowell 3, Manchester 0.

SECOND INNING.

Neither side scored in the second inning. Kane singled to right field, and as he started to steal second base Clark hit to Grant. The latter caught the ball and sent it back to first for a double. Whiting drew his base on balls. Smith closed the inning by striking out.

Anderburg opened for Lowell by hitting over the second baseman's head. Cross bunted, intending to sacrifice, and Kane fielded the ball to second, putting out Anderburg. Grant then flied out to Smith and Connors closed the inning by hitting in front of the plate and Cote threw him out.

Score—Lowell 3, Manchester 0.

THIRD INNING.

In the third Manchester failed to score. Cote struck out, Leith hit a high fly which Anderburg took care of. Spratt sent a grounder which Barney fumbled and the Manchester man walked to first. He then stole second. Armbruster, however, closed the inning by sending a high fly to Connors.

Jackson hit to Page but the ball was traveling so fast he could not handle it and Jackson reached first. Bigbie sacrificed sending Jackson to second. Connors and Merritt sent grounders to Page and were thrown out.

Score—Lowell 3, Manchester 0.

FOURTH INNING.

Page opened up the fourth by hitting to McLaughlin, but the latter fumbled and he reached first in safety. He then stole second base. Kane hit to the left field fence for what looked to be a sure two-bagger, but Bigbie made a pretty running catch. Clark hit a line drive to Connors. Connors caught the ball and then sent it down to McLaughlin, who caught it on the run, tagging Page out for a double play.

Lowell scored another run in the fourth inning. McLaughlin opened with a base on balls. Anderburg then singled over second base. Cross hit to Whiting and the latter made his third error, but he threw back to the plate in time to prevent Lowell from scoring. Grant then flied out to Smith. Connors popped a fly to right field scoring McLaughlin. Jackson hit to Leith and Anderburg was caught at the plate. Bigbie closed the inning by flying out to Page.

Score—Lowell 4, Manchester 0.

FIFTH INNING.

Neither side scored in the fifth inning and both sides were retired in one, two, three order. Whiting opened up for the visitors by hitting to McLaughlin and going out at first. Smith flied out to Bigbie, and Cote was the third out on three strikes.

In Lowell's half J. Connors and Merritt sent grounders to Whiting, who threw them out at first. McLaughlin hit to Page and was the third out.

Score—Lowell 4, Manchester 0.

SIXTH INNING.

Manchester scored two runs in the sixth inning. Leith opened with a single to right field. Spratt flied out to McLaughlin. Armbruster singled to left field. Page foul flied to Connors. Kane drew his bases on balls, filling the bases. Clark hit to centre field and Grant made an excusable error, dropping the ball after a long, hard run. Leith and Armbruster scored on the error. Anderburg then caught Kane off second and threw the ball to second finally getting him out at third.

Anderburg got his third hit in the game in this inning, in the direction of right field. Cross foul flied to Cote. Grant flied out to Armbruster, but he latter dropped the ball. Anderburg, thinking the ball would be caught, did not start for second and was tagged out. Grant then tried to steal second and was thrown out.

Score—Lowell 4, Manchester 2.

SEVENTH INNING.

Whiting opened by hitting to Connors and going out at first. Smith hit to Cross and was also retired at first. Cote hit to left field for a single, but Leith retired the side by foul flying to Merritt.

Lowell went out in quick order in the latter half of the seventh. Connors and Jackson struck out and Bigbie hit to Page and was out at first.

Score—Lowell 4, Manchester 2.

EIGHTH INNING.

Spratt opened the eighth by flying out to Grant. Armbruster hit between J. Connors and McLaughlin and both players thought the other was going to get it which resulted in the ball dropping betwen the two of them. Page flied out to Jackson. Kane went out on a line drive to McLaughlin.

J. Connors flied out to Armbruster. Merritt was hit by a pitched ball. McLaughlin struck out. Anderberg flied out to Whiting.

Score—Lowell 4, Manchester 2.

NINTH INNING.

Clark flied out to Jackson. Whiting flied out to McLaughlin. Smith flied out to Grant.

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Grant cf	4	0	0	0	3	1	1
W. Connors 2b	3	0	1	1	2	2	0
Jackson rf	4	1	1	1	2	0	0
Bigbie lf	3	1	0	0	2	1	0
J. Connors 3b	3	1	0	0	2	1	0
Merritt 1b	2	0	0	0	7	0	0
McLaughlin ss	3	1	0	0	5	2	2
Anderberg c	4	0	3	3	4	3	0
Cross p	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	29	4	5	5	27	11	3

MANCHESTER.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Spratt cf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armbruster lf	4	1	2	3	1	1	1
Page 3b	4	0	0	0	1	6	0
Kane 1b	3	0	1	1	9	1	0
Clark 2b	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Whiting ss	3	0	0	0	3	3	3
Smith rf	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Cote c	3	0	1	1	6	2	0
Leith p	3	1	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	32	2	6	6	24	15	4

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Lowell	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	x	—4
Manchester	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—2

Summary: Sacrifice hits—Bigbie. Stolen bases—Spratt, Page. Double plays—Grant and Merritt, W. Connors and McLaughlin. First base on balls—Off Cross 2, off Leith 3. Struck out—By Cross, 4, by Leith 4. Hit by pitched ball—J. Connors, Merritt. Time of game—1.60. Attendance—250. Umpire—McCloud.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Haverhill	6	3	.667
Manchester	6	4	.600
Lowell	6	4	.600
Nashua	5	4	.556
Concord	5	5	.500
New Bedford	4	6	.400
Fall River	4	6	.400
Lynn	2	8	.200

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Lowell—Lowell 4; Manchester 2.
At Fall River—Haverhill 4, Fall River 3.
At Nashua—Nashua 1, Concord 0. (14 innings.)
At New Bedford—New Bedford 13, Lynn 1.

GAMES TODAY.

(New England League.)

Lowell at Manchester.
Lynn at New Bedford.
Haverhill at Fall River.
Nashua at Concord.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	15	5	.750
Pittsburg	13	8	.619
Chicago	13	9	.524
Philadelphia	10	9	.526
Cincinnati	11	10	.524
Brooklyn	9	15	.375
Boston	7	14	.333
St. Louis	6	14	.300

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston—(First game) Boston 4, Chicago 3. (Second game)—Chicago 4, Boston 2.
At New York—New York 1, St. Louis 3.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 10, Pittsburg 5.
At Brooklyn—Cincinnati 5, Brooklyn 0.

GAMES TODAY.

(National League.)

Chicago at Boston.
St. Louis at New York.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn
Pittsburg at Philadelphia

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Washington	12	9	.571
Cleveland	10	8	.556
Philadelphia	10	9	.526
Chicago	9	10	.474
St. Louis	9	10	.474
New York	9	10	.474
Detroit	8	10	.444
Boston	9	12	.430

GAMES TODAY.

(American League.)

Boston at Detroit.
Washington at Cleveland.

COLLEGE GAMES.

At Cambridge—Harvard 5, Cornell 1.
At Hartford—Trinity 5, New York university 0.
At Worcester—Holy Cross 6, Williams 4.
At Exeter—Exeter 6, Tufts 3.
At Hanover—Brown 7, Dartmouth 2.
At Waterville—Colby 11, Bowdoin 6.
At Orono, Me.—Bates 1, University of Maine 0.
At Burlington, Vt.—University of Vermont 10, Lehigh 0.

LAWRENCE WON

LOWELL HIGH DEFEATED IN WELL PLAYED GAME.

The Lowell High school team went to Glen Forest yesterday and was beaten by a score of 3 to 1 though they outhatted the Lawrence team 9 to 3. The home team got all their runs in the first inning and were then shut out by Bennett. The score:

Lawrence	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
Lowell	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

DIAMOND NOTES.

The Lynn fans will have enough to talk about for the next few days.

Concord will play here on Saturday and Lowell will play in Manchester today and Concord tomorrow.

Tommy Murphy of this city has gone to Laconia, N. H., where he will accept a clerical position and play on the Laconia team incidentally.

Young Anderberg certainly had his eye on the ball yesterday. His three hits were all clean ones. There is also a noticeable improvement in Anderberg's throwing.

Princeton and Amherst yesterday established a new record for college games. They played 18 innings and the final score was 1 to 0.

Tom Raftery has joined the Haverhill team once more. He is a good fielder and a fine batter, and is one of the South Boston contingent of natural born ball players.

In line with the anti-spitting crusade by the boards of health of New England cities and towns we may yet see placarded at our ball parks the legend, "Spitting on the ball, positively forbidden. Per order of the Board of Health."

Sid Rollins of last year's Nashua team is with Sen. Whitney's Burlington, Vt., team. Sen. Whitney is an ardent admirer of the game and a few years ago was a pretty good first baseman himself. When associated with the Lebanon, N. H., mills he had a first class team in Lebanon and since going to Burlington as agent of the Winooski, Vt., mills he has built up the Burlington team.

With a little warm weather and a stronger infield the fans of Lynn will show by their presence at Glenmere Park that they want league baseball. If our memory serves us rightly, Mr. Leonard of the Lynn Independent team which is raising such a howl because Fred Lake went to Lynn with a league team is the same hustling baseball manager who with others some few years ago was permanently connected with the "New England association," which "butted in" on the New England league, putting both to the bad.

AMATEUR BASE BALL

The Groves would like to hear from the Unions of North Chelmsford for a game Saturday. They would also like to arrange games with the Lincolns, Almonts and other strong teams. Address Peter McNamara, 132 Perry street.

The Watsons have won two out of three games played and would like to meet any 12-year-old team.

The Young Palmers want a game with any team under 12 years of age. Send challenges to J. Howell, 23 Davidson st.

The Dartmouths challenge any team under 13 years of age. Send all challenges to Fred Gray, 121 Lilley avenue, or through this paper.

The Centralville Blues defeated the Dragons by a score of 16 to 6. The features of the game were the fielding of Allen, Courtois and Flynn and the batting of Ducharme and Leblanc for the Blues, and the batting of King for the Dragons. Batteries, Ducharme and Gunloy for the Blues, Sullivan and Donaldson for the losers.

Punk Harrington's team of cannibals would like a challenge from the Young Beauties of Belvidere for next Saturday. Our lineup is as follows: Rodie Gendreau, c; F. Harrington, p; J. Shanley, 1b; R. Liston, ss; Tom Rogers, 2b; John Liston, 3b; Prince Liston, cf; Nero Regan, rf; R. A Mike, lf.

The T. A. C's have organized for the season of 1905 and will play any team under 14 years of age. The lineup is as follows: H. O'Connor, p, N. Scott, c; W. Conley, 1b; L. Delaney, ss; W. Dresser, 2b; L. Fox, 3b; H. McNulty, lf; T. McDowell, cf; A. O'Connor, rf.

The Dywell Stars have organized a team for 1905. We will receive all comers. The C. A. C. offered us a game but squashed. Our lineup is as follows: Prindle c, Miller p, Chadwick 1b, Cates 2b, P. Willis ss, Haggerty 3b, Phobe lf, J. Willis rf, Lapoint cf. Send all challenges to P. Willis or through this paper. We will challenge all teams under 13 years of age.

The Young Middlesex Village beat the Young North Chelmsfords by the score of 11 to 6. We challenge any team under 12 years of age. The lineup is as follows: Andrew Hunter c, Joe Cleady, p; Ray Humphy, 1b; Horace Livingston, 2b; John Field, 3b; Ralph Lane, ss; Eddie Vian, rf; Walter Perry, cf; Prince Shaw, rf. Address Andrew Hunter, 18 Carey st.

The Christian Hills defeated the Young Bluevilles this morning on Beacon street to the tune of 11 to 8. Frankie Hubin started to pitch for the Bluevilles but we knocked him out of the box and then "Fiddle" Breen started to pitch but he was no better. The Christian Hills will challenge any team in the city under 11 years of age. Send all challenges to John Sparks, 563 Beacon st.

Hurrah! Hurrah! Hurrah! Here we are again! Who? The H. A. C. We beat the Auburn Blues by a score of 4 to 3. We will play any team in the city under 13 years of age. We will play the Auburn Blues for a quarter ball. We will play them Saturday morning or afternoon on the common. Punk Vallory got his release from the Hassetts. He wanted to be manager of the Hassetts. He is playing with the Auburn Blues. Our lineup is as follows: F. Donahue c, A. Donahue p, T. Reynolds 1b, J. Reynolds 2b, T. Nelson 3b, F. Geary ss, J. Hayden lf, J. Quirk cf, W. Curtin lf. Send all challenges to Manager Arthur Donahue, 11 Bassett street, city. Hurrah, hurrah, for the H. A. C!

The Boylston Stars would like to challenge any team in the city under 12 years of age. Our lineup is as follows: Howard Johnson c, G. McElroy p, A. Mack 1b, N. Tompkins 2b, Henry Johnson ss, C. Hockmeyer 3b, V. Hockmeyer lf, C. Bradley cf, W. Hayes rf. We will play the Brownies Saturday. We were to play the Wiggin-villes. We have played five games and won all. They didn't show up, so we won the game. We beat the Lowell Juniors by a score of 18 to 18. We would like to hear from the Willow Stars, or the Rough Riders. Send all challenges to H. Johnson, 48 Boylston street, or to Grant McElroy, 365 Fairmount street. Our sub is W. Reardon.

The Victors Jr. defeated the Green grammar school, for the second time this year. The score was 31 to 8 in our favor. The features of the game were a catch by A. Estabrook of the Victors and the pitching was done by C. Marcotte for us. We will play any team under 13 years old. Our lineup is: J. Fife c, C. Marcotte p, E. Labrie 1b, L. Vigeant ss, P. Owen 2b, A Estabrook 3b, J. Kerr lf, J. Bean cf, T. Curry rf. We will play the Young Shamrocks next Saturday. Send all challenges to A. Estabrook, 29 Perkins street.

Hooray! Who are we? Don't know? Yes we do. We are the Night Owls. We played a game of three innings Friday night and won. The batteries were Andy Moynahan and Stevie Griffin. Andy is world famed for his pitching and curves the balls around the bat. Griffin cats all the balls that Moynahan pitches. He also did great batting making a home run, a two bagger and a single and knocked the cover off a quarter ball. Moynahan held the other team down to three hits and the Night Owls won out by a score of 5 to 3. Among the spectators were the great and only "Cast Iron Kids," "Sandwich Bob," Pres. T. Fitzgerald of the tobacco trust, and Pres. Butts Kearney of the match trust.

The Golden Showers played butterfly game Saturday morning, winning by a score of 9 to 6. We had to play a good game because the other team was a bunch of squeakers. We had to give them everything. We played that beautiful operetta entitled "Who Died First?" We would like to play the Hassetts next Saturday morning on the North common. Among the spectators were John D. Rockefeller, Andrew Carnegie, Pres. Roosevelt and many other prominent people. We had lunch after the game and a smoke talk. We also had wash tub solos by Comedian Fitzgerald, and had dances by Kearney and McKinnon. The girls winked at the manager and he couldn't help laughing from the first inning to the ninth. Rockefeller gave us $10,000 for a ball, bat, glove and mask. I wish we could get a game for next Saturday, the Hassetts preferred. Be sure. Be wise and so be wise.

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THE SUN'S PLATFORM

FOR THE GOOD OF LOWELL

1. ADOPT a new charter giving the mayor full power to appoint and remove at will, the heads of all city departments and members of all boards or commissions.

2. ABOLISH the common council and provide for a single legislative board of 27 aldermen, three from each ward.

3. CREATE public boards to have charge of streets, buildings, police, fire, pauper and water departments.

4. ANNEX portions of Dracut and Tewksbury, including the "Navy Yard" and the Andover road as far as the Hood farm.

5. ABOLISH the Merrimack street station and the grade crossings at Market, Thorndike and Middlesex streets and extend the northern station to Thorndike street.

6. BUILD a public hall and market on the White lot in Merrimack Square.

Street and sewer work generally comes high, but we must have it. It is not the only thing that comes high.

The nation must control the railroads, says President Roosevelt. Yes, control them if we do not own them. Fix the rates.

It looks now as if Lowell would get permission to supply a new industry on her borders with water if she so elects.

The Massachusetts authorities should call somebody to a strict account for the loss of the Joy line steamer. Will this disaster go down in history as did many others, the investigation of which showed nobody to blame?

THE PROVINCE AND USES OF UNIVERSITY EXTENSION.

The cause of university extension is receiving considerable attention at the present time particularly from those who possess the rich treasures of thought dispensed in the class room to those students fortunate enough to be able to spend their time at college. But the aim of university extension is by courses of lectures or of study and reading to give the people who thirst for knowledge but who cannot attend college an opportunity to master some of the studies and imbibe some of the rich thoughts with which the college course abounds.

At a recent lecture at Northampton in this state Andrew Carnegie said: "The question is always before us—is man retrograding or advancing: is he becoming purer, nobler; is he devoting more and more of his time and means to the benefit of his fellows, and thinking less and less of himself; is the idea of brotherhood increasing—the knowledge that we are all members of one great family, only playing with somewhat different toys?"

There is reason to believe that man's mental scope is ever widening and that at the same time the effect of the Christian religion is leading to a variety of movements of a humane and benevolent nature never before thought of among the common people.

But college extension as we take it has to do only with secular education in all its varied branches. Its aim is to supply the means of acquiring knowledge, usually confined to a university course, to those outside the university, those engaged in the busy pursuits of daily life, to guide them in the acquisition of knowledge, to enable them to help themselves and to instruct them as to the right use of the knowledge thus obtained.

Prof. James Stuart of Cambridge university first suggested the idea of university extension by lecturing before the North British Reading association. At the present time the Philadelphia society for the extension of university teaching is perhaps, the most prominent in this country and it has undoubtedly done a great deal of good work.

Not the least valuable of its services is the example it has set to the rest of the country in disseminating by lecture and courses of study the seeds of learning among the people who are unable to attend universities and colleges.

There is a common tendency among all classes to drop study after passing the school age but the university extension idea would encourage continuous study. There is ample opportunity for continuous and profitable study, reading and research even among those who have never had the opportunity of a college education.

Even the graduates of colleges fall into this blunder to such an extent that ten years after they have left college they have forgotten their Latin and Greek; and have to refresh their memory quite often if they wish to retain a firm hold upon their English studies.

Now if this is the case with the educated people are not the effects of forgetfulness even more serious to those who had no college education? Unless they study, unless they refresh their memory, unless from an early age they apply regularly most of what they learned, by the end of ten or twelve years they will have completely forgotten it and nothing will remain but the mental development and discipline.

Anything that will prevent this effect of time in obliterating from the memory all that is learned in youth, anything that will not only ensure the retention of what we possess but make it the foundation of a grand superstructure is to be encouraged. If we are not mistaken, this is the aim of university extension. The aim is practical, useful and commendable.

The greatest obstacle to such a movement is the tendency on the part of some of the lecturers to take great pains to condemn the religious ideas held by those who seek for knowledge. There is such a diversity of opinion upon religious matters, in general, among college professors that they should avoid thrusting their religious views upon the people who are seeking literary or scientific instruction. The uneducated man who has learned the great truths of religion from a little catechism may have more correct views of religion than the higher critics who tear the bible to rags in their own way and who will not admit the authenticity of a single fact of the Christian religion.

When such men set out to preach religion or rather, we might say, irreligion to those whom they suppose to be ignorant on the subject, they are doing harm instead of good because they are striving to overthrow a faith that is divine and put in its place the ever shifting and evanescent phantom of doubt.

Then let the work of university extension be conducted on right lines and it is sure to succeed. It is sure to produce good fruit, sure to grow and prosper until all the people in the land have felt its improving and uplifting influence.

IN CONVENTION

The Merrimack Valley Baptists Met

AT THE TEWKSBURY CHURCH

Abstract of Addresses and Work Done

The Merrimack Valley Baptists held their 39th annual convention at North Tewksbury yesterday. There were four hundred delegates present and the convention was one of the best in the history of the association. A great many different subjects were discussed and interest was great at all times. The following churches and missions were represented:

Methuen Baptist, First Baptist of Haverhill, First Baptist of Chelmsford, First Baptist of Lowell, Second Baptist of Haverhill, First Baptist of Billerica, Worthen Street Baptist of Lowell, No. Tewksbury Baptist, First Baptist of Lawrence, North Billerica Baptist, Andover Baptists, Portland Street Baptist of Haverhill, Second Baptist of Lawrence, Georgetown Baptist, Merrimack Baptist, Central Baptist of Chelmsford, Branch Street Tabernacle of Lowell, Calvary Baptist of Haverhill, Fifth Street Baptist of Lowell, Mt. Washington Baptist of Haverhill, Long Sought Baptist of Westford, Immanuel Baptist of Lowell, Chinese Baptist of Lowell, French Baptist of Centralville, Hildreth Mission of Lowell, Monument Street Baptist of Haverhill, Italian Baptist of Haverhill.

President C. F. Gegenheimer of Lawrence called to order at 10.30. Rev. Robert F. True of the Immanuel Baptist church of Lowell conducted a short devotional singing exercise. Rev. C. H. Ellis of the Chelmsford Centre Baptist church was secretary. The chair announced the following as the nomination committee: Rev. A. T. Belknap of Andover, chairman; Rev. S. L. Morse of Merrimack; Rev. Isaac LaFleur of Lowell.

The first address of the morning was by Rev. Asa R. Dilts of the Branch Street Tabernacle. "An Effective Sunday School" was his topic and he said in part:

"The boys and girls of our Sunday schools have no appetite for spiritual things because they are not fed on the right kind of air. Spiritual blood must be purified just as physical blood, else there will be no appetite. The efforts of teachers have been completely nullified in some schools because of a spirit of worldliness and indifference, which does more hurt to the boys and girls than can be counteracted by months of work.

"One of the greatest essentials is to make our schools effective. Effectiveness means primarily to win souls to Christ and to build them up for Him.

"What is the right kind of an atmosphere? There are three or four elements entering into it. First, there should be on the part of the pastor, superintendent and teacher, a consciousness of God. Too many of us do not have it, and that accounts for irreverence. No one can have a consciousness of God and be irreverent. They are diametrically opposed, and smash each other.

"Then there should be a sense of accountability toward God, and a sense of responsibility toward the boys and girls. The trouble with some is the lack of this sense of accountability.

"We ministers should enter the pulpit with that feeling that we are messengers from God. When truth has affected somebody else it is when it has become part of a personality. Truth to do its work must be transmitted into emotion and power.

"Then there is the spirit of prayer. If every teacher were filled with it and breathed it in the class, don't you believe that there would be an atmosphere of prayer in that Sunday school? It is necessary for the right kind of spiritual air.

"The spirit of love must be in the teacher's heart. This is the supremest qualification. Without love, all other qualifications go for naught.

"How is this spiritual atmosphere created is asked. If the pastor and superintendent and teacher are right, then the atmosphere will be right. There will be a spiritual appetite and a spiritual digestion that will take care of the problems which may come up. The best thing we can do for the scholars is to bring them characters like Jesus Christ's so that the exultation shall fill them with the spirit."

Mr. Ernest G. Heald of Lawrence sang a solo. Miss Agnes Trull was accompanist.

Rev. C. L. Pierce, pastor of the North Tewksbury church, and chairman of the committee on arrangements, made a brief report.

The second speaker of the morning was W. W. Main, secretary of the Massachusetts Baptist Sunday School association. His topic was "Our State Work."

Rev. A. T. Belknap of Andover made an address on "Denominational Teaching in the Sunday School." In part he said:

"In most of our Sunday schools no special effort is made to give instructions in the history, principle and practices of the denomination. Recent works on the Sunday school and on religious education discuss every topic bearing on their theme, but of denomination teaching they make scant, if any mention. Indeed it is the fashion to decry denominationalism and minimize the difference between the various branches of the Christian church. For the decay of bigotry, we may well be thankful, but an easy going tolerance which is the fruit of indifference, is worse than bigotry.

Rev. J. A. McElwain of Boston spoke upon two subjects, "Evangelism in Our Sunday School" and "Decision Day."

Dinner was served by the ladies of the church.

Devotional exercises in the afternoon were led by Rev. E. A. Whittier and Rev. Robert F. True, Rev. Asa Reed Dilts and Miss Trull, the church organist. Secretary C. H. Ellis made his annual report.

The following officers were nominated and elected:

President, Edson C. Walker of Merrimack; vice president, Harry R. Davis of Haverhill; secretary and treasurer, Rev. C. H. Ellis of Chelmsford Centre; executive committee, the above officers and Rev. C. L. Pierce of North Tewksbury, Rev. R. L. Webb of Haverhill, Deacon D. S. Archibald of Haverhill, Deacon George E. Murray of Lawrence, Deacon H. C. Wilder of Lowell; trustee of Massachusetts Baptist Sunday School association, Deacon G. A. Murray of Lawrence.

Mrs. Frank Parr of Lawrence spoke on the "Social Element in the Sunday School."

"A Business Man's Business in the Sunday School," was the theme of a paper by George E. Murray of Lawrence.

Mrs. T. R. Peede of Everett told of her work among the young women of her church. She made several valuable suggestions about handling the girls, and keeping them interested in the Master's work.

"The Young Man and the Sunday School" was the subject of an address by Rev. Chester H. Howe of North Billerica.

Rev. T. R. Peede of Everett had for his subject "A Larger Conception of the Sunday School Work."

The convention dissolved at 5.15 o'clock.

ON THE CREASE

WEEKLY MEETING OF MOHAIR CRICKET CLUB.

At the weekly meeting of the Mohair Cricket club, at the club house on Tuesday evening, nine new members were added to the increasing roll of membership. It was decided to hold the next smoke talk at the club house on Friday evening, May 26. Quite a number of the gentlemen who took part in the operatic minstrels have volunteered their services for that evening. The team selected to play the Lawrence club on the Chelmsford street grounds on Saturday next will consist of the following named:

Capt. David Bird, Mosley, Shaw, Priestly, West, J. J. Whittaker, Shuttleworth, Harrison, Ed. Nelson, J. R. Whittaker, Goldthwaite; reserve, R. Carl; umpire, Gibson; scorer, Williams.

The second team which is to play the North Billerica club at North Billerica will consist of the following named: Capt. Charles Waite, Ernest Nelson, William Nelson, Lynch, Galloway, Sidebottom, Carter, Atkinson, O'Neil O'Donnell, Carl; reserves, Getting and Haynes; umpire, George Fox; scorer, Schwartz.

BUNTING CRICKET CLUB.

The executive committee of the United States Bunting Cricket and Athletic association held their weekly meeting at the Arlington hotel, last evening, President John Crawford presiding and all members present. Four applications for membership were received and accepted. Remarks were made by Joseph Senior, George Emsley, D. Clegg and Ed. Salmon, which were well received. The team committee met earlier in the evening and selected the team to do duty on Saturday, May 13. The first eleven will journey to Glen Forest to oppose the strong Merrimacks in a Massachusetts state league contest and will line up as follows:

H. Rowley, captain; N. Watson, vice captain; H. Rudden, James Ogden, D. Clegg, John Simpson, A. Simpson, M. Greenwood, W. Scholes, John Harley, H. Greenhalgh; reserves, William Marshall, Frank Robinson; umpire, M. Duggan; scorer, Thomas Robinson. Car leaves Merrimack square at 1 p.m.

The Bunting reserves will have as opponent their old time rivals, their near neighbors, the Zions, in a league game in the junior division of the Mass. State league.

This will be the opening league game for the Reserves and it is to be played on the Bunting crease at Wigginville. A good game is expected and the team will line up as follows:

G. Scholes, captain; G. Townsend, vice captain; T. Robinson, A. Marsden, H. Williams, H. Clayton, H. Murphy, John Greenwood; reserves, Wm. Yerkess, Thomas Stockton, John Woodcock; umpire, A. Butterfield; scorer, Charles McGrail. Game called at 2.30 p.m. Players and officers who cannot attend will notify their secretary no later than Friday morning.

ZION CRICKET CLUB.

The team chosen to represent the Zion club in the game with the Bunting Reserves on their grounds Saturday afternoon is as follows: William Croft, sr., captain; Matthew Meiklejohn, Harry Meiklejohn, Samuel Gulline, Charles Clogston, James West, Arthur Hindle, Joseph Wilmot, William Croft, jr., Fred Chapman, Harry Maden. Reserves, Alfred Fielding, Albert Waltworth; umpire, George Clegg. Games commences at 2.45.

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SERIOUSLY ILL

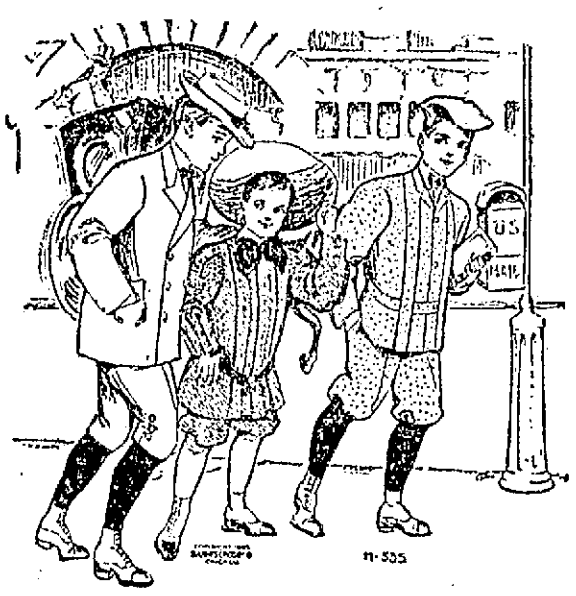
From the Effects of a Dog Bite

Mr. George W. Tilton and his daughter, Mrs. Josephine Hodgman, have returned to Lowell from New York where they underwent treatment for the prevention of hydrophobia. Mr. Tilton is in good condition but Mrs. Hodgman's condition is far from favorable. Dr. Holbrook was called at 3 o'clock yesterday morning to attend Mrs. Hodgman who had shown signs of hydrophobia. Powerful hypodermic injections were given and Dr. Holbrook believes that Mrs. Hodgman will recover.

SMALL STORES

WILL FOLLOW EXAMPLE OF THE LARGE IN CLOSING.

Several of the merchants of Little Canada, who have been in the habit of keeping open every night in the week, have decided to follow the schedule of the big down-town stores, that is to keep open but two nights a week, Monday and Saturday. It is expected that before long the other merchants in that section of the city will follow the example set by Normandin's, St. Hilaire's and Riopelle's stores.



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GUEST OF DEMOCRATS

President Roosevelt Praised by Political Enemies

CHICAGO, Ill., May 11.—Honoring and honored by his political foes, but personal friends, President Roosevelt last night was the chief guest at a magnificent banquet at the Auditorium, tendered to him by the Iroquois club, the leading democratic organization of Illinois. Surrounded by men who have fought against him in two national political campaigns, who deprecate many of his avowed policies, and who have frowned on some of his political actions, the president was cheered to the echo as he entered and left the banquet hall, was applauded with enthusiasm throughout his address, and at its close was given to understand that in his case political differences were not a personal issue.

The banquet was given entirely by democrats to the leader of their political opponents, and many of the kindly personal references made by the speakers of the evening deeply touched the president. In his manner and words he evinced throughout the evening a deep gratification at the warmth of his reception.

At the president's table were Mayor Edward F. Dunne, Charles F. Gunther, president of the Iroquois club; James Hamilton Lewis, toastmaster; Samuel Alschuler, Judge Murry F. Tuley, Sheriff Thomas E. Barrett and other democrats. Of republicans, there were at the same table Gov. Charles S. Deneen, Senator A. J. Hopkins, Judge C. C. Kohlsaat, Judge K. W. Landis and a dozen more.

Prior to the banquet the president held an informal reception. He shook hands with every one of the 700 men who were present, and had a pleasant word for all those who were known to him personally or by reputation.

The arrival in the banquet room of the president, escorted by President Gunther of the Iroquois club, was the signal for an outburst of cheers that continued until the president had traversed the long hall and stood by his seat at the speaker's table. The president bowed repeatedly in acknowledgment of the hearty welcome.

President Gunther delivered a brief address of welcome, saying President Roosevelt was greeted for his broad, patriotic spirit. James Hamilton Lewis then was introduced as toastmaster. He referred to Mr. Roosevelt as "a president of the whole people of the United States; one whose sentiment of public conduct is not partyism, but patriotism; whose theme, in his commingling with mankind, is that of the poet Terrence, saying: 'I am a man, and all things human touch me.'"

Mayor Dunne said: "This city greets Theodore Roosevelt because he is chosen chief of 80,000,000 of free people, because by his sterling manhood, patriotism and energy he has fairly and honestly won the proud position he now occupies—the proudest on earth—and because in his character he typifies that which the citizens of this city honor above all else—honesty of purpose and intensity of effort."

Gov. Deneen spoke to the toast, "Illinois," and J. M. Dickinson spoke to "The Iroquois Club."

WILD CHEERING.

When Toastmaster Lewis arose to introduce President Roosevelt he was at first given no opportunity to speak. The entire assembly was on its feet, waving handkerchiefs and napkins and cheering with vigor. When his voice could be heard, Mr. Lewis happily introduced the president.

At the conclusion of his speech the president was again cheered with enthusiasm. Then accompanied by President Gunther and the members of the reception committee, the president passed quickly from the hall, while the guests cheered him lustily. He went to his room at the Auditorium hotel to prepare for his journey to Washington, whither he departed at 2.30 o'clock.

During the afternoon the president was given a reception by the Harvard club of Chicago. The Harvard club's president, Kellogg Fairbanks, stood at the president's left, and made the introductions. More than 300 graduates of Harvard filed by. When the last graduate had retired to the rear of the parlor, President Fairbanks introduced Samuel S. Greeley, who read a short address to the president. In reply, President Roosevelt spoke of the need of Harvard for "western blood." He said:

"Mr. Greeley, and fellow-Harvard men: I need hardly say what a very real pleasure it has been to greet you this afternoon, but Mr. Greeley spoke of Harvard as winning the west. My pet theory has been that the very best thing that can happen to Harvard is to have the west win it, and I hail every Harvard club west of the Alleghenies even more than I do those east of there, for Harvard's mission in the country can be incalculably furthered if it has a sufficient amount of western blood that 'does things' in it, and for that reason I am particularly pleased to greet the Harvard club of Chicago again under as pleasant circumstances as I have ever had the pleasure of greeting them before. Good-bye and good luck to you."

The Harvard yell was given with a will for the president.

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LEXINGTON WOMAN HAS SUED A STOCK BROKER.

BALTIMORE, May 11.—Eben Sutton, a stock broker, was sued for $165,000 damages in the U. S. district court yesterday by Sarah A. Lincoln of Lexington, Mass., who alleges that Sutton disposed of securities belonging to her without her consent.

The declaration states that from August, 1891, to October 1, 1900, Sutton was conducting a stock and bond broker's business in Boston in partnership with James W. Bowen, under the firm name of Sutton & Brown, and alleges that between August 1, 1897, and October 1, 1900, they received from Edwin M. Thayer securities valued at $69,000, which belonged to the plaintiff.

These securities, it is alleged, were disposed of by Sutton & Bowen for the benefit of Thayer without the knowledge of the plaintiff, although, it is charged, they had means of knowing that Thayer, in hypothecating the securities, was acting wrongfully and without the plaintiff's knowledge or consent.

It is also charged that Sutton & Bowen received checks amounting to about $2500 from Thayer, which belonged to the plaintiff, which checks were cashed and used for the benefit of Thayer, although the defendant had means of knowing that the checks belonged to the plaintiff.

M. William Greeley, the well known clerk has accepted a position with C. E. Smart of Smith street.

GRAND OLIO

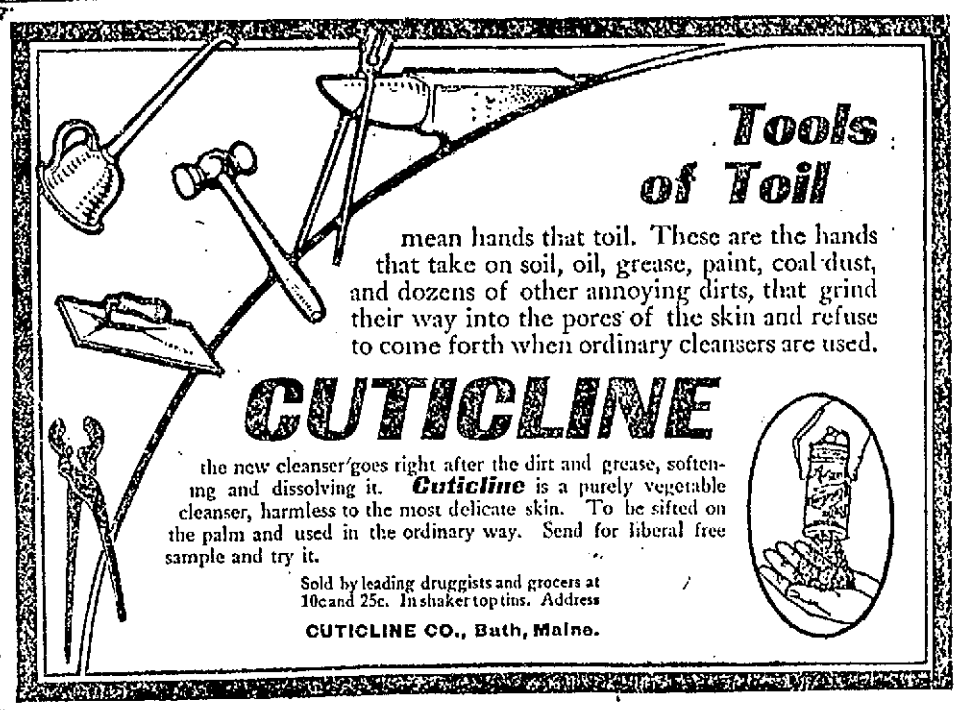
WILL BE GIVEN BY THE R. A. GLEE CLUB.

The R. A. Glee club minstrels will repeat their successful minstrel olio in Odd Fellows Temple tomorrow night. Those who attended the recent performance in North Billerica were treated to one of the finest amateur olios ever given in this section. John T. Fairbrother will be director and William Cowdrey pianist.

Hibbard's full orchestra will accompany the chorus of sixty voices.

For the minstrel show William Gilmore will be interlocutor; Walter Leith, Richard Arnold and Charles Defoe, trombones; James J. Carney, Charles D. Rogers and Frank Sargent, bones; Miss Mary Seymour, Miss Delia Barry, Mrs. Charles S. Young, Miss Jeanie Hodger, William E. Conway, Charles E. Fairbrother, James H. Gannon and Joseph Meller, soloists.

The minstrel program will begin with a grand opening chorus by the entire company, solos by Miss Mary Seymour, Joseph Meller and Miss Delia Barry. Miss Delia Barry will sing "Alone;" Miss Jamie Hodger, "I Can't Think of Nothing Else But You;" Mrs. Charles S. Young, "When the Golden Sunset Fades Behind the Hills;" Miss Mary Seymour, "Just a Little Attic, But It's Home Sweet Home;" William E. Conway, "The Song Birds are Singing of You;" James H. Gannon, "Sweet Savanna;" Joseph Miller, "In the Shade of the Old Apple Tree;" Charles E. Fairbrother, "I Am Trying So Hard to Forget You;" James J. Carney, "On Your Way, Babe;" Walter Leith, "There's a Nigger in the Moon;" Frank Sargent, "I Want Some One to Call Me Honey;" Richard Arnold, "There's a Dark Man Coming with a Bundle." Following the olio there will be dancing.



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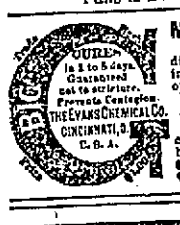

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STILL ANOTHER

Opinion From the City Solicitor

The following is self-explanatory:

Office of City Solicitor, Lowell Mass.
May 11, 1905.

Hon. James B. Casey, Mayor of Lowell.

Dear Sir: In answer to your request of May 10th, asking me for a written opinion regarding the law recently passed providing for the granting of licenses for public entertainments, etc., I have the honor to reply as follows:

From your oral request, I understand that you wish an opinion as to whether or not chapter 341 of the acts of 1905 gives the authority to grant such licenses to the mayor and takes away such authority from the board of police.

By chapter 283 of the acts of 1896 all the powers vested by existing laws in the mayor and aldermen or board of police of the city of Lowell in relation to licensing, regulating and restraining theatrical exhibitions, public shows and public amusements, etc., and, generally, all the powers and authority of said mayor and aldermen and said board of aldermen in relation to the granting and revocation of licenses for engaging in any and all of the above mentioned trades and occupations, shall thereafter vest in and be exercised by the board of police of said city. By this act an exception to the general law was made in favor of the city of Lowell and this city was taken out of the class of cities governed by the public statutes and amendments, so far as such licenses were concerned.

Said chapter 341 of the acts of 1905 is an amendment to section 172 of chapter 102 of the revised laws, which is substantially the same as the corresponding provision of the public statutes, and operates to give such licensing power to the mayor of a city, instead of the mayor and board of aldermen, who before this act of 1905 were empowered to grant such licenses. In said chapter 341 of the acts of 1905 there is no express repeal of chapter 283 of the acts of 1896, nor, in my opinion, is there any repeal thereof by implication. Therefore, said act of 1905 does not apply to the city of Lowell and has no effect upon the power of the board of police of said city to grant such licenses.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES GILBERT HILL,
City Solicitor.

JOHN LON

SENT TO PRISON FOR ROBBING A MAN.

BOSTON, May 11.—Sobbing violently John Long, alias Kelley, a professional thief, whose picture adorns the rogues' galleries of several cities in the east, appeared before Judge White in the superior criminal court yesterday afternoon and was sentenced to state prison for not more than four or less than two and a half years, the first day to be spent in solitary confinement.

When the jury brought in the verdict of guilty Long collapsed and again when a sentence of five or seven years was imposed in his case, but later revoked as it was contrary to the statutes. Long showed his emotion to a marked extent, and his sister, who was in the court room, shared his grief.

FUNERALS

McGIRR—The many friends of Mrs. Bridget McGirr, widow of the late Edward McGirr, will be pained to hear of her death which occurred yesterday afternoon at her home, 506 Gorham street, after a long and lingering illness. Mrs. McGirr was possessed of many beautiful traits of Christian character, of a kind and charitable disposition that endeared her to many, and her loss will be deeply mourned. She is survived by three children, Joseph T., and Mary and Susan McGirr.

BISSILL—After a lingering illness Daniel Bissill passed away April 20, at his home at Bube Plain, P. Q. Mr. Bissill was a native of Stanstead, P. Q., born March, 1841. The major part of his life was spent in Lowell. He returned to Canada some six years ago, where he married Mrs. Elizabeth Chipp, who survives him. His body was brought to Lowell for burial.

MARIN—Miss Emma Marin died yesterday at her residence, 31 Ford street, aged 35 years, 4 months. She leaves a father, Magloire Marin, a brother, Hermenegilde Marin, four sisters, Mrs. Fred Lavigne, Mrs. Arthur Beauchesne, Misses Claudia and Wilhelmine Marin, and an aunt, Mrs. Charles Miller, all of this city.

FOREST—Mrs. Marie Forest, widow of Louis Forest, died yesterday at her home, 115 Salem street, aged 70 years. She leaves a mother, Mrs. Lefleche of Windsor, Quebec, who is 101 years old; and nine children, Louis and Casimir Forest, Mrs. J. B. Ghiard, Mrs. Moise Gervais and Misses Delia and Adele Forest of this city, Mrs. J. B. Lefleche, of Windsor, Que., Mrs. Joseph Arcand of Manchester, N. H., and Mrs. Joseph Carpentier of North Chelmsford. Deceased had lived in Lowell for the last 35 years, and was universally esteemed among the neighborhood.

CRAIG—Miss Jennie M. Craig, an old resident of this city, passed away at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. H. Mills, Wellaston, Mass., at an early hour yesterday morning. Miss Craig was a member of the Paige Street Free Baptist church of this city.

HARRIGAN—Ester Irene Harrigan, infant daughter of John F. and Mary, died this morning at the home of her parents, 40 Willie street.

RADDICKS—Mrs. Margaret Raddicks, aged 50 years, died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Blaney, 16 Elmwood avenue. Besides her daughter she leaves a sister, Mrs. Bridget Fox of this city. She was an esteemed member of St. Michael's parish and of the Rosary Society connected with the church.

BURNS—The funeral of the late Ann Burns took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 36 Llewellyn street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends of the deceased including a number from out of town. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church in Sixth street where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. Eugene A. Carney. The choir was in attendance and sang the Gregorian mass and during the service appropriate selections were rendered by the members of the choir.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings in evidence showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and acquaintances.

The bearers were Messrs. Hugh, Thomas and Philip Callahan and Frank Thornton. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Carney. The funeral was under the direction of funeral director Thomas J. McDermott.

MANUS—The funeral of Rose P. Manus took place this afternoon at two o'clock from the home of her parents, 15 Bent's court. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of funeral director Thomas J. McDermott.

DEATHS

McMAHAN—The funeral of John McMahan took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertaker C. H. Molloy. Rev. Fr. Walsh officiated. The bearers were Patrick McNamara, William Murphy, John F. McCann and John Malone. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, Undertaker Molloy in charge.

MOREY—The funeral of Thomas J. Morey was held yesterday afternoon from his late home in Haverhill, Rev. Mr. Webb of Haverhill officiated. Burial was in Tewksbury Centre. The bearers were relatives, Undertaker C. M. Young & Co. of this city had charge.

REGAN—Catherine Regan, aged 32 years, died this morning at St. John's hospital. She is survived by one child.

CHANDLER—The funeral of Mrs. Ella J. Chandler took place yesterday afternoon at from her late home, 4 Lane court. Rev. George F. Kenngott officiated. The body was sent to Elmira, O., by Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck.

GOLF NOTES.

The following new members have been elected to the Vesper Country club: Frederick A. Flather, Geo. A. Lyon, James S. Thomson, P. F. Sullivan, W. S. Southworth, Josiah Butler, Frank A. Grindle, Charles R. Blake, Henry H. Wilder, John E. Drury, Geo. C. Prince, Charles H. Kohlrausch, jr., Fordyce Coburn, John L. Robertson, W. M. Fairbanks, John H. Dunn, William N. Osgood, John R. Hylan, Winthrop P. Buttrick, Thomas Walsh, F. E. Harris, H. Stanley Crysler, Greenleaf C. Brock, Charles H. McIntire, Avery B. Clark, John J. Pickman, Winfred C. Marlbrayne.

Capt. Chadwick of the Longmeadow club golf team has made up a temporary list for the team to meet Andover, the list of players being as follows: Capt. Austin K Chadwick, Henry Wilder, Harold Selfridge, Charles L. Knapp, Otto Hockmeyer, C. W. Huntington and Gen. Adelbert Amos.

The executive committee of the Longmeadow golf club, composed of Gen. Adelbert Ames, George H. Spalding, Otto Hockmeyer and C. L. Knapp, met this week and voted the following applicants into membership in the club: D. Dana Bartlett, Julian B. Keyes, Frank E. Putnam, Percy Parker, Walter L. Muzzey, George A. Nelson, Frederick A. Flather and Arthur Abbott. The executive committee also named a tournament committee consisting of Joseph Peabody, George H. Spalding and Austin K. Chadwick.

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NOT GUILTY

PLEA ENTERED BY MAN ACCUSED OF MURDER.

PORTLAND, Me., May 11.—The trial of Edward F. Cole, on the charge of killing John F. Steeves of Hillsboro, N. B., whose body was found in the woods at Falmouth Sunday, April 23, began in the municipal court today. Cole entered a plea of not guilty. A large number of witnesses were called for the state and the respondent and it was expected the trial would continue two or three days.

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CARNEGIE GIVES IT TO IRON AND

LONDON, May 11.—The annual meeting of the Iron and Steel Institute opened here today, Andrew Carnegie presiding for the last time. The U. S. was represented by O. T. Purdy and Dr. G. Revay of New York; J. B. Miles of Philadelphia and H. J. White of Pittsburg. Mr. Carnegie in his farewell speech said he appreciated the honor of being the first American president of the institute and introduced his successor, R. A. Hadfield, the vice-president of the institute.

Mr. Carnegie announced his subscription of $25,000 to the research fund as a parting gift to the institute.

H. C. Boynton of Cambridge, Mass., was awarded the Carnegie scholarship of $800.

The meeting will be continued tomorrow.

POSTMASTER NAMED.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Kendrick F. Marshall was today appointed postmaster at Port Clyde, Me.

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6 lbs. large Prunes 25c
14-lb. Pails Pure Lard 8c lb.
5-lb. Pails Pure Lard 45c
Best Granulated Sugar 6 1-2c lb.
Best Cape Cod Cranberries 5c qt.
Strictly Fresh Eggs 20c doz.
5 lb. Package China Oats. Containing Piece of Decorated China 20c Pkg.
Best Eastern Green Mountain Potatoes, Houlton stock, 12c peck 45c bushel.

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10c can Hudson's Potash 6c Can
2-lb. Can Best Peas 6c Can
Choice Oredo Blackberries 6c Can
3 lb. Can Squash (any brand) 6c Can
2 lb. Cans Red Kidney Beans 6c Can
3 lb. can Best Baked Beans 6c
Easter Dishes of Mustard 6c

Choice Pure Extracts
Vanilla 6c
Lemon 6c
Jamaica Ginger 6c
Wintergreen, 6c

Fancy Staples
Best Large Flake Rice 6c
10c pkg. Macaroni, Blue Cross Brand 6c
Best Mince Meat 6c Pkg.
Boneless Codfish 6c lb.
Quart Bottle Best Ammonia 6c
Best New York State Hand Screened Pea Beans 6c Qt.
Best Corn Starch 5c pkg; 6 for 25c
Last Year's Dried Apples 5c Pkg. 6 for 25c
Any of Standard Laundry Starch Put up expressly for me, 1 lb. boxes, 6c Box
1 lb. pkg. Seedless Raisins, choice of any of Standard Brands 6c Pkg
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Best Rib Roast Beef 8 to 12c lb.
Best Smoked Bacon 12c lb.
Best Smoked Shoulders 8c lb.
Best Hams, 11 and 12c lb.
Best Fresh Shoulders 9c lb.
Best Rump Steak 15c and 18c lb.
Best Sirloin Steak 15c and 18c lb.
Best Round Steak 2 lbs. for 25c
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Best Liver 5c lb
Best Sweet Pickled Shoulders 8 and 9c lb

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1-4 lb. Carton Cassia 6c
1-4 lb. Carton Cloves 6c
1-4 lb. Carton Af. Ginger 6c
1-4 lb. Carton Allspice 6c
1-4 lb. " Black & White Pepper Stickney & Poor's 6c
1-4 lb. Carton Cream Tartar 6c
10c can Dry Mustard 6c
Choice Stickney & Poor's or Slade's
15 Large Nutmegs 6c

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PRES. ROOSEVELT

Meets the Striking Teamsters at Chicago

Heard Their Protest and the Fiery Words Quoted From Gen. Butler—His Reply Made Clear His Readiness to Enforce the Law if Called Upon by the Governor of the State—The Threat Embodied in Union Protest Firmly Met

CHICAGO, May 11.—President Roosevelt gave the strike leaders a piece of his mind yesterday, and now they feel as if they had been fumbling with a hornets' nest.

It all came about through lack of diplomacy on the part of the labor men.

In their communication to the president on the strike issue they attacked the army, quoted Ben Butler on the army and did unfortunate things which aroused the resentment of the president. It is said that after reading the communication he could hardly control himself. He hurled at Shea of the teamsters and Dold of the federation a bitter denunciation of mobs and violence.

He plainly told them that if he was called upon to act the streets of Chicago would be as peaceful as a cemetery.

"Mr. Shea," he said, "as you have in this communication brought up the fact, I want to say one word with all the emphasis in my power. In upholding law and order, in doing what he is able to suppress mob violence, Mayor Dunne has my hearty support. I am glad to be able to say this to you gentlemen before I say it to any other body. I know nothing of the facts or the rights or wrongs of this issue.

WHAT I HAVE TO SAY IS BASED ON THE UNFORTUNATE PHRASING OF YOUR COMMUNICATION PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. I HAVE NOT BEEN CALLED ON TO INTERFERE, BUT DON'T MISTAKE MY ATTITUDE. MAYOR DUNNE HAS MY HEARTY SUPPORT AS PRESIDENT IN EVERY EFFORT TO SUPPRESS RIOTING AND VIOLENCE."

Mr. Shea explained that the union men were peaceful.

"I am a believer in unions," replied the president. "I am an honorary member of the union. But the union must obey the law, just as corporations must obey the law, just as the rich and poor must obey the law. As yet no action has been called for by me, and most certainly if action is called for by me, I shall try to do justice under the law to every man so far as I have power, but the first essential is the preservation of law and order."

PLAIN WORDS FROM PRESIDENT.

The committee of labor men was granted an audience late yesterday afternoon. The committee consisted of Cornelius Shea, president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters; Charles Dold, president of the Chicago Federation of Labor; Joseph O'Neil, vice president of the Chicago Federation of Labor; T. P. Quinn, a member of the Canvassers' union, and T. Rickert, president of the Garment Workers' International union. The members of the committee, President Roosevelt and Secretary Loeb were the only persons at the conference.

The following account of what passed in the room was given out by Secretary Loeb:

"After presenting the protest to the president, Mr. Shea, acting as spokesman, said:

"'We are here as a committee to present to you a statement, stating our position in this controversy between the employers' association and the teamsters' association. We have understood that they had asked your aid for bringing troops to Chicago. We want to present our position to you.'

"Mr. Quinn said: 'It will take about 10 minutes; perhaps we had better leave it with you.'

"The president said that he would read it at once, and after doing so he spoke as told above, concluding: 'Now, gentlemen, it has been a great pleasure to see you and I am glad to have had the chance to say this to you.'

MR. QUINN EXPLAINS.

"Mr. Quinn, who knew the president in his youth, said: 'Mr. President, what prompted us to come to you with this statement is that for the last two or three weeks there has been a continual howl for the federal army. I have known you long enough to know that you would not respond to a one-sided demand, that you will not respond until you have thoroughly investigated the case.'

"The president replied: 'Mr. Quinn, as yet the mayor of Chicago has not made any appeal to the governor, and therefore, of course, the governor has made none to me; and, as yet, nothing in the situation has demanded action by me.'

"President Shea of the Teamsters' union then said: 'Let me explain that. The governor has been requested by a committee of the employers to demand federal troops; the statement has been made in the papers. I immediately telegraphed Gov. Dineen that we would allow him to appoint a commission. Regardless of that, I want to make our position known to you in regard to mob violence. Every time a mob congregated, every act of violence performed by either a union man or sympathizer reacts to our detriment. I believe that we are skilled workmen enough in our particular craft to demonstrate to our business men of Chicago that it is to their interest to employ us. There is nothing at stake but the re-employment of citizens of Chicago who have been forced out of their positions. Acts of violence meet with the condemnation of the officials, both local and national, of our organization. Violence does not meet with the sympathies of our organization. I simply want to say that we want to be fair, to preserve the business interests of Chicago, realizing that the prosperity of our employers is our prosperity.'

"The president replied: 'Mr. Shea, I can only repeat what I have said. I am a believer in unions. I am honorary member of one union. But the union must obey the law just as the corporation must obey the law, just as every man, rich or poor, must obey the law. As yet, no action has been called for by me, and most certainly if action is called for I shall try to do justice under the law to every man so far as I have the power. But the first essential is the preservation of law and order, the suppression of violence by mobs or individuals.'"

This closed the interview and the committee withdrew.

MORE VIOLENCE.

It was generally understood by both sides to strike that there would be no disturbance while President Roosevelt was in the city. Notwithstanding this tacit agreement, there were a number of outbreaks, one of them taking place in Michigan avenue, a short time after President Roosevelt had passed the spot. In this riot a number of men were cut and shot. The injured were Joseph Stewart, colored, shot in the right leg; John Hickbow, colored, stabbed in the face and hands, and Edward Hubbard, colored, cut in the right cheek.

The fight began when five union teamsters recognized Stewart as a non-union driver. They rushed at him and he ran for non-union headquarters. He tripped and fell just as he entered the door and called for help. A score of his comrades appeared and a fight followed. One of the five union men drew a revolver and fired, striking Stewart in the leg. The other two negroes were hurt during the scrimmage. The union teamsters were compelled to run.

George S. Pierce, a union teamster, was shot and killed last night by George T. Waldron, a deputy sheriff who was guarding a Wells-Fargo express wagon. Pierce was passing Clark and 12th streets when the express wagon, under guard of several deputies, among whom was Waldorn, came down Clark street. Waldorn was formerly a member of the teamsters' union, and Pierce taunted him with his change in employment. Angered by the language of Pierce, Waldorn drew a revolver and fired one shot, the bullet striking Pierce just above the heart. Waldorn was arrested.

The employers sent out more wagons yesterday with fewer guards than at any previous time since the strike began. The employers' association is steadily increasing the force of non-union men, and last night it was said 500 men were ready to take charge of the wagons.

During the luncheon given by the Merchants' club yesterday afternoon, Mayor Dunne told the president that the most alarming stage of the strike had passed and that the police had control of the situation.

THE PROTEST

TEXT OF STATEMENT MADE BY LABOR LEADERS.

CHICAGO, May 11—Following is the protest against sending federal troops to Chicago on account of the teamsters' strike, presented to President Roosevelt by Pres. Shea of the International teamsters' union and other labor leaders.

To the Honorable Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States of America:

Hon. Sir: This labor difficulty began as a lockout. So far as there has been any striking done, it has been a strike for arbitration. The unions involved are committed both upon principle and by specific contract with the employers for arbitration.

These contracts grew out of the desire of the unions to protect the public peace and welfare by providing they submit all disputes or differences of opinion to the umpirage of an impartial third party, and accepting that decision—right or wrong—as binding upon both parties. Such a course is a guarantee of the preservation of law and order. All that the unions ask for or desire in this controversy is that an arbitration shall be granted as specifically agreed to in the contracts involved. All that is desired is that the public officials shall join with the labor bodies in demanding that lawlessness shall not be allowed to be used in forcing contracts to be broken, and that violence shall not be allowed to prevent differences of opinion to be settled by the quiet, orderly method of arbitration.

The contracts of June 26, 1903, provide for arbitration in the sixth, fourteenth and eighth sections respectively and we have the written right to demand arbitration—a demand that has been repeatedly spurned by the employers in the presence of Mayor Dunne of Chicago.

And why spurned? Because they openly boast that they can spurn it, and that the troops under your command will shoot down him who dares to openly protest against their action. They flatter themselves that the federal army is their ready tool to act upon their suggestion—right or wrong—and they therefore refuse to have any inquiry made as to whether they are right or wrong.

They can now say, "There is nothing to arbitrate," but if a board should find there was something to arbitrate, public sympathy might be too strong for them and they might not be able to "crush out unionism once and for all, as they openly declare they intend to do. But can they do it?"

Is the army all that these men think it is? Is it not a fact after all, that the power of the army even rests to a great extent upon the support of the people? What would a few soldiers be against a nation? Without intending to be discourteous or suggesting a threat, we desire to call attention to a clear and true statement of this fact by Gen. Benj. F. Butler of Massachusetts, in his celebrated speech of some 60 years ago to the people of Lowell:

GEN. BUTLER QUOTED.

"If the workingmen can be deprived of their freedom and their rights by threats of starvation of themselves and their wives and children, when they act according to the laws and their own judgment, then they had better be slaves indeed, having kind masters, instead of being free men who are only at liberty to do what their task masters impose upon them, or starve. And this question must be settled here and now.

"I know the power of these corporations; I know many of the men who have been in charge. They have made a mistake in appeal to force. When that weapon is tried they are weak and you are strong. They have their mills and machinery, their bricks and their mortar, and that is the extent of their power. You are stronger than they. You have your right arms and your torches and by them we will blot out this accursed outrage.

"AS GOD LIVES AND I LIVE, BY THE LIVING JEHOVAH, IF ONE MAN IS DRIVEN FROM HIS EMPLOYMENT BY THESE MEN, I WILL LEAD YOU TO MAKE LOWELL WHAT IT WAS 25 YEARS AGO—A SHEEP PASTURE AND A FISHING PLACE; AND I WILL COMMENCE BY APPLYING THE TORCH TO MY OWN HOUSE. LET THEM COME ON. AS WE ARE NOT THE AGGRESSORS WE SEEK NOT THIS AWFUL CONTEST."

Peace rests not upon the militia or the army, but upon the patience and long suffering of the toiling mass. The army so far as it has any effect, is not to quiet but to disturb; it is not to terrorize, but to make the people meditate. They wonder what all this "bluffing" is for. Can a few soldiers scare the men who make armies and who compose the flower of American manhood? Are we serfs that we cringe at the mention of troops?

If the laboring men are wrong, the decision of an arbitrator without cannon or club will command the obedience of every toiler affected.

Even if we are right and the arbitrator decide against us, still we will bow to that decision. Then if the decision of one man unarmed and alone can exercise this vast power, what is the use of the sacrifice of lives, calling out armies and making an opera bouffe of government?

It is evident that a blunder has been made somewhere, somehow. Let us ascertain its source. Is it just or is it necessary to bring the U. S. army into Chicago in an effort to smother the cries of the toiler for arbitration?

Is it right or expedient to attempt to stifle the demand for the settlement of controversy by court procedure?

Is the purpose of the army to prevent the carrying out of written contracts that are open to all who care to read them? Can you, our honored president, afford to use the forces under your control to stifle labor's demand for peace and the methods of peace?

Why should our attempt to get and maintain peace be met by army and by war?

Every laboring man knows these facts. What will be the results upon the citizenship of this country if, when American citizens ask for court procedure and order, they are met by the bullet and the jail?

Is it not time to inquire as to the facts in the case?

We submit that labor is an essential of national life. And the sympathy and cooperation of the laborers in their life work is as essential as is the sympathy and cooperation of citizenship. Unity is a necessary fact of development and progress. Unionism can no more be destroyed in industrial life than can patriotism in political life. He is short sighted indeed who cannot see that the cause of one is the cause of all and that the destruction of one without protest is sooner or later the destruction of all.

The revolutionists well understood that a law directed at Massachusetts was in effect a law against South Carolina. Franklin's saying that "If we don't hang together, we will hang separately," has become a truism.

Shall that far sightedness that was praised in Massachusetts be condemned in Chicago? Or shall that principle of action that was praised yesterday be condemned today?

The thousands of unions springing up as trees of the forest answer no.

Unionism has come to stay. It is merely the systematization of an inherent law of human action.

It is therefore better to recognize this law and deal with it as such, and make us of a high trait of manhood of which it is the expression than to commit the folly of trying to crush it out, as George The Third tried to crush out the spirit of unity and independence in the colonies.

Let us not awake to this fact just after it is forever too late.

We therefore trust that you will allow a presentation of the facts of the case to you before you permit any abuse of federal power by complying with the request of the notorious law breakers of the land—the constant suppliants for governmental privileges. All that we are asking is that our voice be heard.

Respectfully submitted,

Committee appointed by the Chicago Federation of Labor to request a hearing before any action be taken by the federal president relating to the Chicago strike situation. (Signed).

C. P. SHEA, Pres. International Brotherhood of Teamsters.

CHARLES DOLD, Pres. Chicago Federation of Labor.

JOSEPH O'NEIL, Vice Pres. Chicago Federation of Labor.

T. P. QUINN, Canvassers Union.

T. RIGERT, Pres. Garment Workers International Union.

WINTER WHEAT

IS CERTAIN TO MAKE A GREAT SHOWING.

WASHINGTON, May 11—The weather bureau yesterday gave out the following general summary of climate and crop conditions:

In California, generally throughout the central and southern Rocky Mountain districts, and in the Dakotas and Minnesota, the week ending May 8 was abnormally cool and moist. Freezing temperatures extended southward to the central portions of Arizona and New Mexico, with frost and snow in the central and northern Rocky Mountain regions and upper Missouri and Red river of the North valleys. In the Gulf States, the Central valleys, most of the Lake region and the Atlantic coast districts, excepting New England, the temperature was favorable but excessive rains hindered work over the northern portions of the central and west Gulf States, in the lower Ohio and central Mississippi valleys, in Minnesota and the Dakotas, and in the middle Rocky Mountain region.

Drought continues in New England and rain is needed in the Middle Atlantic States, portions of Kansas and on the north Pacific coast.

Heavy rains have prevented rapid progress with corn planting over a large part of Missouri, Illinois and Indiana, but elsewhere this work has advanced satisfactorily, planting having begun as far north as the southern portions of South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan. In the Southern States the general condition of the crop is reported as promising, but it is suffering for cultivation over a large part of the south Atlantic and east Gulf States and Texas.

Winter wheat is now heading as far north as the southern portions of Kansas and Missouri and in Kentucky. The general condition of this crop continues highly favorable in the States east of the Rocky Mountains, although some reports of injury by rust are received from Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory. On the Pacific coast winter wheat continues promising, although some unfavorable reports respecting lowland wheat are received from Oregon, and recent heavy rains and high winds caused lodging to some extent in California.

The weather conditions of the past week were not favorable for the completion of wheat seeding over the northern portions of North Dakota and Minnesota, and early spring wheat over the central portion of the spring wheat region and in Iowa is making only fair progress. In Nebraska and Colorado and on the north Pacific coast the condition of the crop is promising.

Much cotton remains to be planted in Arkansas, northern Mississippi, portions of Louisiana and in northern and central Texas, and planting is unfinished in the Carolinas, northern Georgia, Tennessee and Oklahoma. In central and northern Texas, a large area requires replanting and that up is not in very promising condition, having been damaged by rain. Good stands are reported from the central and eastern districts of the cotton belt, where the crop is making favorable progress, although needing cultivation in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pearson and Mrs. C. D. Hunckley, who have been spending the winter in Southern California, arrived home Wednesday.

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A GREAT RECORD

Baum Has Crossed Atlantic 601 Times

NEW YORK, May 11 Radiant with sweeping bunting the North German Lloyd crack, Kaiser Wilhelm II., from Bremen, came gally into port yesterday afternoon. Some folks thought that it was the hundredth anniversary of the death of Schiller that inspired the fulsiation of the flags, but it wasn't. Chief Engineer Carl Baum, who has traveled more miles afloat than any officer on any liner in the world, was being honored by his shipmates and his line on the completion of his 300th round trip across the Atlantic.

It was really the beginning of his 301st, as he sailed originally from Bremen, but odd numbers, although they may be lucky, do not look well in the form of incandescent bulbs over a cabin door. Chief Engineer Baum is modest, and probably would not have permitted the electrician to put up the numbers if he had caught him. It was done, however, on the chief's "watch below," and, as it was under orders of Capt. Hadgmann, the chief would have had to submit to it, anyhow.

It was forty years ago that Carl Baum went as an assistant engineer aboard one of the four single screw steamships that made up the North German Lloyd fleet. He had been graduated from a technical school and had spent several years in a machine shop. His first trip across the Atlantic was in the old, iron, fifteen day (when she was lucky) steamship Hansa built in Scotland. Since then the Germans have built their own ships, and now have the swiftest merchantmen on the seas.

He made thirty-one round trips in the Hansa and then went to the New York. Then he became chief engineer of the Neckar. He saw the power of the line's fleet gradually grow to 200 steel ships. After leaving the Neckar he took charge of the engine room of the Elba, in which he made eleven round trips. Then, successively, he was engineer of the Fulda, the Eider, the Trave, the Spree (his and the line's first twin screw), the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse and finally the Kaiser Wilhelm II.

He saw the record between ports cut down from fifteen to less than six days and the stokeholds of the liners made fit for human beings to work in without endangering their health. From burning a few hundred tons of coal on a voyage, he became accustomed to burning about 650 a day and generating a power that drove the ship, when the engines were doing their best, at a speed sometimes in excess of twenty-four knots.

Bremen is now only seven days away from New York, and the chief says when he gives his wife and family (seven girls and a boy) goodby, it seems to him as if he were just going across the Hoboken ferry to New York. In the old days he was sometimes nearly two months away from home.

Incidental to his trips between New York and Bremen he has made runs between China and Bremen, between New Orleans and his home port and between Havana and Bremen. He has traveled in all the forty years of his life about 2,340,832 miles. If he had been the engineer of an aerial line between the earth and the moon he would have made the round trip about five times. Never in his career has he had a single accident in his engine room. When he was in the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse at the Hoboken pier fire, with some help from tugs he ran the big ship out stream from the flame zone, scorching her sides somewhat.

Mr. Baum was born in Lamsdorf, Bavaria, 65 years ago. He is a fine specimen of a Teuton. His grizzled whiskers and still abundant gray hair were once blond. He is big chested and has a true seaman's voice that might be heard even above the roar of the Kaiser's mighty engines.

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Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOE & CO.

P. S.—The Adams Hardware and Paint Co. sell our paint.

PURE WATER

WESTERN KANSAS UNDERLAID WITH QUANTITIES OF IT.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—A few years ago our Geological Survey discovered that a large part of the high plain of western Kansas is underlaid with vast quantities of sweet, pure water. This is the very region where thousands of farmers settled about 25 years ago, attracted by the fact that for two or three years the rainfall had been sufficient to grow crops. They were ruined by successive droughts, for a good crop year comes only once in four or five seasons.

They pulled up stakes and went back East. The crumbling heaps of their sod houses and the markings of the corn rows where they planted their last crop are still reminders of their ruined hopes. They little dreamed that there were quantities of water within easy reach and that the strong and steady winds would turn windmills, lift the water into irrigation ditches and transform the thirsty plain into a garden.

This water is from ten to two hundred feet below the surface, and investigation thus far seems to show that the quantity is practically unlimited. Mr. Haworth's report, printed by the survey eight years ago, said that the amount of ground water in the southwest part of the state seemed sufficient to meet any demands, even if manufacturing industries should arise to consume it. He said the greatest need of western Kansas was better methods of raising water and utilizing it.

This view has been confirmed by later studies. The soil of most of western Kansas is as rich as that of the wheat and corn fields that extend for 300 miles through the eastern part of the state. Rainfall seldom fails in those eastern fields; and it is believed that the underground supply will never fill the western fields that were abandoned by their despairing owners.

The conditions that Mr. Haworth found south of the Arkansas river in the southwest part of the state are now known to exist far to the north of the river, and much of the present development of irrigated farming lands is in Sherman, Thomas and other counties in the extreme northwest part of Kansas. Here settlers have been flocking with money to buy land, and real estate is having a boom.

Tracts of 160 acres that went begging at $100 a few years ago are now selling at $1,600. A party of Swedes from Minnesota last month paid $10 an acre for three sections, or 1,920 acres, of prairie. From the car windows scores of steam plows and mule teams are seen turning up the soil and getting ready for a wheat crop. Many little reservoirs have been sunk on the tops of the prairie undulations, and windmills are everywhere pumping from the wells into the reservoirs which feed the irrigation ditches. Many newcomers are living in sod houses, others are putting up substantial cottages and market towns are rising. This spring 13,000 fruit trees have been delivered at the towns of Colby and Goodman to be planted on the prairie of the northwest tier of counties. The intensive farming that irrigation always brings is supplanting the meager stock raising that followed the bitter failure of twenty-five years ago.

Will the water really hold out? Geologists think so and many believe that it may come all the way from the Rocky mountains along the impermeable cretaceous rocks that keep it up within reach and seem to slope ever eastward in that region. We know that the Arkansas draws the water in its channel from those same mountains. At any rate, the new farmers in the extreme western counties feel the stimulus of enthusiasm and confidence and believe they are going to keep Kansas in the van of the wheat states, a proud position she has occupied several times of late years.

ENJOYABLE SMOKE TALK.

A well attended smoke talk of the Citoyens Americains was held last night and interesting speeches on various political topics were given. Messrs. L. P. Turcotte, Maxime Lepine, Ralph Loupret, George D. Jacques, Councilman Leon Marcotte, Napoleon C. Grandchamp, Philippe R. Honrque and Emery Cognac were among the speakers heard.

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Sundays, 8.45 a. m.

From Middlesex St.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.46	6.50	6.00	7.01
6.26	7.40	6.30	7.26
6.39	7.30	7.34	8.34
6.49	7.53	8.25	9.01
7.01	8.02	9.00	9.37
7.24	8.10	10.00	10.37
7.31	8.50	10.17	11.34
7.48	8.53	11.20	12.07
7.52	10.55	12.00	12.56
8.37	9.40	1.00	1.37
9.33	10.19	2.00	3.01
11.05	12.00	3.00	3.37
11.43	12.24	3.47	5.00
12.14	1.00	4.14	5.30
1.41	2.50	5.00	5.37
1.55	2.39	5.35	6.25
3.47	4.30	5.47	6.54
4.23	5.20	6.14	7.30
5.22	6.15	7.30	8.08
5.49	7.00	8.30	9.08
6.12	6.55	10.30	11.34
7.29	8.10	11.20	12.21

WESTERN DIV.

From Middlesex St.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	7.55	7.30	*8.31
8.00	8.54	8.25	10.31
9.45	10.52	10.45	11.46
10.50	12.00	11.55	1.18
12.05	1.26	2.15	3.22
12.50	2.00	3.35	4.56
2.30	3.33	4.30	5.42
3.10	4.05	6.01	7.02
3.55	5.00	6.35	7.46
5.06	6.46	8.40	10.35
6.15	7.10	*11.15	12.13
7.00	8.00		
8.30	9.25		

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SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.15	9.26	8.00	9.13
12.10	1.20	12.00	1.00
3.35	4.50	5.05	6.25
5.32	6.53		
8.03	9.09		

SOUTHERN DIVISION

8.59	7.39	9.00	10.00
7.24	8.10	1.00	1.37
8.46	9.49	5.00	5.59
9.20	10.15	7.30	8.08
2.23	3.27	8.30	9.06
6.32	7.22	9.00	10.02

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STORE LOOTED

Boys Made a Break in Pawtucketville

The little variety store of William Romear, 143 Sixtah avenue, Pawtucketville, was broken into last night and money, candy and cigarettes stolen.

Entrance was effected by prying open a side door with a screwdriver or improvised jimmy. The police believe that the theft was committed by boys and Mr. Romer, who is an old man, complains that the boys of the neighborhood have made life miserable for him. They throw open his doors, pelt rocks into his store, hoot at him and in other ways annoy him.

SHOE SHOP FUND

PUTNAM & SON CO. SENT $50 TODAY.

A couple of welcome additions were made to the shoe shop fund since yesterday morning.

Rev. Fr. Ronan of St. Peter's church sent in $25 and this morning the following communication was received with a check for $50:

Lowell, Mass., May 10, 1905.

Hon. James H. Casey, Lowell, Mass.:

Dear Sir: Enclosed please find our check for $50 as a contribution to the fund for the purchase of a site for the Mawhinney Shoe company.

PUTNAM & SON CO.

The fund now stands as follows:

Previously reported	$4246
Rev. M. Ronan	25
Putnam & Son Co.	50
Total to date	$4321

LOWELL HOMING CLUB.

The Lowell Homing club had a trial fly from Shelburn Falls, Mass., on Saturday, May 6, and all members reported birds home in good time. On Saturday, May 13, the first race of the season will be flown from Williamstown, Mass., distance 100 miles, and prizes will be given to first and second birds home, also club diplomas and National Association diplomas. All members are requested to attend the meeting this evening at 7.30 at Mr. E. L. Secuyer's.

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RURAL MAIL

IT COST GOVERNMENT $12,000,000 LAST YEAR.

WASHINGTON, May 11—The net loss to the government of operating the rural mail routes of the United States in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1905, will be not less than $8,000,000, and probably several millions in excess of that amount. The minimum estimate of loss is obtained after allowing to the credit of the rural service every cent of revenue derived from mail sent by patrons of the routes and from mail received by them, but as a matter of fact, only a part of these receipts are due to the establishment of rural service.

It is impossible to tell what proportion of the rural mail business should be credited to the establishment of rural service, but it is estimated by competent authorities that the real loss for the fiscal year will be nearer $12,000,000 than $8,000,000.

The law raising the salaries of rural carriers is in effect in the present fiscal year. It increases the cost of service to $58 per month for each route, exclusive of the expenses of the field inspection service. It is the cost of rural mail facilities that prevents the financial waistcoat and pantaloons from meeting in the post office department. Without this endless and increasing expense the department would be self-sustaining.

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FAMILY COMES TO RESCUE OF YOUNG MAN.

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—At a family council gathered in a handsome residence in Spruce street, west of Broad, Charles Heidelberg, a private detective from New York, last night reported his unsuccessful effort to trace a young son of the family who, two months ago, disappeared with nearly $100,000 belonging to his parents.

Captain of Detectives Donaghy knew of the family loss and of Heidelberg's search for the missing boy, but from the first the members of the family have insisted that their loss is their own affair and they have never allowed a warrant to be issued in the case. The family is one of great wealth and social prominence, and the members, as soon as they learned of the robbery, decided to deal with the matter without invoking the law.

Soon after the loss of the money was discovered, a clue was found showing that the young man had gone to Europe. Heidelberg followed, and his vain search for the Philadelphian has covered a large part of the continent. Heidelberg arrived in New York yesterday afternoon and at once took a train for this city.

"There have been rumors concerning my mission abroad," he said, "and in the main they are correct. I have traveled throughout Europe for six weeks in search of a man who disappeared with a large sum of money belonging to his family. I have been working under the direction of the family lawyers and am sworn to preserve secrecy regarding the family and details of the loss."

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A GRAND PRODUCTION AT THE CASTO.

The Huntington-De Deyn Stock company are simply covering themselves with new glory this week in Belasco's great play, "The Wife." Not even in Boston have handsomer gowns been seen on any stage, and when one takes into consideration the size of the Casto stage, Mr. Huntington certainly works wonders with it. Many are the wishes expressed that our company could stay on here indefinitely as they have taken such a hold upon the hearts of our people that it will be hard to say good-by, but fortunately that is not for many weeks yet.

It is no surprise that the theatre is packed every night, and the remark "How can they do it for that money" has now become a byword.

A FINE TRIBUTE

To Memory of the Late City Auditor

Out of respect to the memory of the late city auditor, David Chase, the committee on investigation did not proceed to business last evening but voted unanimously to suspend all business until after the body had been consigned to its last resting place.

Shortly after the meeting was called to order Alderman Cosgrove offered a motion for the suspension of business until after the obsequies. The motion was seconded by Councilman Morse. In presenting the motion Mr. Cosgrove said: "I realize that this committee has a great deal of work before it and we have but little time to lose, but as city officials we owe it to the memory of our late city auditor to suspend business until his remains are consigned to their last resting place. The business before us tonight can wait. In doing honor to the memory of David Chase we are paying tribute to the memory of one of the finest and noblest of men. Mr. Chase was a man honest in all his dealings, efficient as an official and broad and sympathetic as a citizen. He was not a man who lent a hand to party schemes. His actions were above board and it will be hard indeed to fill his place. A great deal must be required of the man who would be measured by David Chase's standard."

BASEBALL DANCE.

A well attended dance under the auspices of the Royal Arcanum Baseball association was held at Prescott hall last night and a general good time was had. The officers of the evening were: Manager, C. E. Edwards; assistant manager, E. S. Bowen; floor director, J. H. Paradis; assistant floor director, J. Shepard; aids, L. A. Hodgman, W. A. Hodgman, E. G. Richardson, Fred Conway, T. F. Russell, J. J. Campbell, W. B. Edgell and William Carll.

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Very Best Tea (all flavors)	40c lb.
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3 lb. can Bartlett Pears	9c
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Good American Sardines,	4c can
Good Eggs (warranted),	18c doz.
Best Choice Red Salmon,	12c can
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Kennedy's Best Soda Crackers,	5c lb.
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Kennedy's Ginger Snaps	5c lb.
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Saturday, May 13, 1905, at 3 o'clock

Having purchased a place in Lawrence and as I am about to move there by the 1st of June, this is my only reason for offering to the public my cosy little home in No. Billerica, which consists of a ten room house, barn and about two acres of land, and I will offer the same on the day of sale on the premises, rain or shine to the highest bidder. The house consists of a parlor, sitting room, dining room, kitchen and a nice large pantry with well water in the same. There are four large and well lighted chambers on the second floor and there are two finished attics. The cellar is very dry and all cemented. The house I had built for myself and is in excellent repair inside and out. The barn will accommodate two horses and one cow and will store two or three carriages. The lot which consists of about two acres has an excellent garden, there are a large number of apple, pear and plum trees, currant bushes, shrubberies and two strawberry beds.—There are also two or three hen houses on the premises. This is an ideal little home for someone who wants a little home with a garden and a place to keep hens. The property is located on Billerica avenue about 5 minutes' walk from the mills and electrics and within three minutes' walk from the steam cars.

Terms:—$200 to be paid to the auctioneer at time and place of sale, other terms will be made known at sale.

By order of JOHN LATHAM.

Saturday, May 13, 1905, at 4 o'clock

ABSOLUTE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, OF TWO LARGE BLOCKS OF 12 TENEMENTS; COTTAGE HOUSE OF SIX ROOMS; STABLE AND ABOUT 9390 SQUARE FEET OF LAND, AT NOS. 108 AND 114 CHAPEL STREET.

Having had placed in my charge this extensive tenement property, I will absolutely sell regardless of weather conditions, to the highest bidder, on Saturday, May 13, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, this vast estate in one parcel. It consists of two large blocks of six tenements each, they are three stories in height and have slated roofs. The tenements have five and six rooms each, with separate water closets and separate cellars. The cottage in the rear has six rooms; the stable has three stalls with the necessary carriage room, and a good loft. The rental received when the tenements were all rented was something over $1350 a year. There is a good passage way between the blocks which is all concreted as is also the yard, giving a good ground surface, to the cottage in the rear and the stable. The lot is all fenced in with a good, solid, substantial fence, and on the whole makes a very complete piece of real estate. While there are three or four tenements idle at the present time, there is no reason why, with the proper handling and a small amount expended in repairs that it should not be made to pay a steady rental of $1350 the year round. The lot is large; but you are not paying taxes on unoccupied land, it having the necessary room for the drying of clothes, etc. The rest being covered by buildings giving you the income. I am authorized to make an absolute sale of this property and undoubtedly the purchaser will receive a great trade.

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